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by Janice Savage

Editor-in-Chief

This is it. With tears in our eyes *Lambda Publications* will be closing its doors...for the summer. So I guess you'll have to live without us for a few months. I'd like to take a few moments to reflect on what's been going on lately. How about that 10% tuition hike? Did you know that Dave Cooke, Minister of Education and Training is actually trying to pass these hikes as making post-secondary education more accessible by "creat[ing] more spaces for students and maintain[ing] quality programs"? More spaces is a great idea, but the average income of Canadian citizens does NOT go up

by 10% every year. More space equals more people with less real income equals more *empty* space. Why has this logic failed to disseminate into the ivory towers? I was thrilled to hear people talking about the infamous signs on campus. I think a lot of students have some powerful suggestions for administration as to where they can find money to "maintain quality programs". If we the students don't want to be walked over, we're going to have to do something about it. Most committee meetings are open to students. Senate meetings are open to students. There is student representation on almost all committees. If you don't like something that's going on, YOU THE STUDENT has to do something about it. Contact the SGA, AEF and *Lambda*; let them know that you're

ticked off! Why am I telling you this now, instead of at the beginning of next year? Because when you're paying an obscene amount for your tuition next year, (don't worry, you'll be able to find the Registrar's office, follow the little blue signs) think about what it is you want L.U. to be doing for the students. If it wasn't for us, none of them would be here. Having said that, I like to say that I am looking forward to hearing from you next year. I would like to thank Andy McKillican, the News Editor, for her years of hard work and dedication. She will not be returning next year as she is breaking with *Lambda* tradition and will be graduating. As well, this year's Office Manager, Chris Logan, will not be returning. We'll miss you both. A big thanks goes out to this year's staff, we had bad start,

but we managed to stick together and work our problems out as a team. I am thrilled to see Dom, Carine, Steve, Kevin, Séan and Pierre returning next year. Real big thanks goes out to Marcel Rouleau, Financial Director for this year and next. He came in at the last minute and saved *Lambda* from near bankruptcy. You can blame him for keeping us financially afloat. I would like to thank Heather Bishop, SGA President, for making things a lot easier for me than she really had to. Congratulations on your re-election and I look forward to working with you again next year. (We'll let you know when your by-elections are as soon as we decide when we're printing next year.) Have a great summer folks. As Dennis Miller used to say, "That's the news, and I am outta here!"

# SPACE FOR RANT

## Thank You For "Reflecting"

by Marc St-Aubin

Human Movement

After 1992-93, Alex McGregor and I decided to stay out of the controversy in sports...until I read last weeks comments in Steve Martinovich's column: Reflections of the Year. No criticism this time for the Sports Editor but praise! Martinovich writes: "...I want to thank you for a great year. It was never a job covering you, always a pleasure. All of Laurentian is proud of you." Thank you Steve for expressing that. We need more people like you on campus. We need more people like you who appreciate what recognition Laurentian Athletics brings to the University. We need more people like that to come and support the Vees - no matter what the sport, no matter time of year, no matter playoffs or not. We need more people like Steve Martinovich and others on the Sports Staff at *Lambda* willing to cover our athletes exploits.

Last week's column continues: "...There is work to be done. The hockey squad still faces an uncertain financial picture...". Unfortunately, the hockey situation is only one example. For instance, where is Women's Field Hockey and Men's & Women's Curling this year? Will they ever come back? Will the current sports continue to provide the level of excellence under decreased funding by the University? Questions unanswered at this time but what matters more importantly is continuous student support from all residences and off-campus. Athletics needs your crowds, your loud cheering and noise, and your presence in order to continue providing you with some of the best athletic teams in North America.

Mark these dates on your calendar: October 15-16, 1994. It's Home Coming Weekend and Athletics will be providing Laurentian Students one hell of a good show... More news to come...

## Medium, Medium Well, or All Out??

by Carn I. Vore

Just when you get used to having a good thing around, someone goes and takes it away!!!

Thursday night has forever been a time of preparation—for the weekend—and in this hurried outfitting, the evening meal has come to be a rapid assemblage of K.D. and hot dogs into something that probably wouldn't even qualify for the "Junk Food" chapter of Canada's Food Guide. Several weeks ago, our good friends at Marriott Foods decided to do away with this high-cholesterol ritual and offered us a tasty, and almost classy alternative. They introduced The Steak Dinner.

For nearly two months now, students and faculty together have moved en-masse towards Laurentian's answer to the Hungry Heifer at diner time Thursday nights, for the \$4.95 special. When coupled with the Baked Potato Bar, this weekly special has even been considered a "Good Deal" by some cafeteria regulars. They wait in line for nearly twenty minutes sometimes, but in the end, they have a juicy cut of prime-rib grilled as per their specific instructions, a healthy topping of fried onions, one baked potato, and a serving of vegetables. This weekly treat has come to have such a strong following that Thursday nights now revolve almost entirely on what time everyone can go for diner. It has transcended the classification of being, "just a meal" and become a social outing that brings people together in an atmosphere of friendship carnivorous ecstasy.

Last week, at 6:00, Marriott foods pulled the plug. After weeks of the steak dinner growing in popularity, they actually ran out of meat. Sure they substituted roast beef, which was slightly undercooked, but it just wasn't the same. One would think that with this weekly meat marathon becoming ever more popular, that the powers that be at Marriott would be prepared to handle slightly more than 225 orders.

We've been assured that The Steak Dinner will rise again this week, like the proverbial Phoenix from the ashes of the grill, but the question remains... How long will it last this week? Better get down there early. Dinner starts at 4:00, so if it looks like you may be stuck in lab past five, you might want to call ahead and reserve your cut early!!!

## WOMYN'S STUDIES PROF SPEAKS OUT Student Deserved to be Ejected From Class

By Tess Tosterone

In response to the recent allegations against the administration of Thoneroll College, the professor involved in the "Women's Studies Fiasco" has provided Lardo with a statement detailing the events leading up to Brian B. Champ's ejection from WOMYN 1005 N.A.

According to Dr. Rocky, Mr. Champ created a violent uproar during one of the lectures, injuring one of his fellow students. The topic, which the student had researched in advance, was the role of women in the construction business. While citing a particular example of how women have proved their value in this industry, the student who was making a presentation to the class, made the following statement:

"A young man delivered a load of cinder blocks and mortar to a construction site, and the foreman signed for the order after quickly glancing over its contents. It was found by his secretary, who was female—as was customary throughout history—that the man was a few bricks shy of a load."

It was at this point in the lecture when Mr. Champ, who was the only male in the class, raised his hand and asked the student to repeat the last portion of her statement. She responded with "—as was customary throughout history—the man was a few bricks shy of a load." At this point, Mr. Champ, as described by Mr. Rocky, "Lost it!!! He snapped!!!"

Another student who witnessed the incident, explained how Mr. Champ, "Jumped out of his seat, head faking her with his text book, and she went for it. Then he hit her with a strong left hook and finished her off with a flurry to the solar plexus."

While the hapless victim lay spraled accross her presentation notes, Mr. Champ addressed her by asking, "How's that!?! Is that 'The man was a few bricks shy of a load' enough for you?"

In light of this information Lardo, would like to formally recognize the justification for having Mr. Champ ejected from the class. At the time of our prior publications, we were unaware that the administration of Thoneroll had such a good reason for kicking him out.

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## Tuition Increased by 20% Over the Next Two Years

by Andy McKillican  
News Editor

Education and Training Minister Dave Cooke announced a tuition increase of more than 20% over the next two years for college and University students. The announcement was made at Queen's Park on Wednesday, March 23. The Minister said the increase was to address the problem of "enrollment not keeping pace with demand." He said, "The reason we're increasing tuition fees is to create more spaces for students and to maintain quality programs."

In terms of cash paid out by Arts and Science University students, the increase translates into an additional \$202 to make the 94-95 tuition fee \$2228. In 95-96, an additional \$223 will be added to make a total fee of \$2451.

The additional fees will be covered by the Ontario Student Assistance Program. The loan-forgiveness level will be raised to \$6000 from \$5570. However, the Minister said he would continue to pursue an Income Contingent Loan Repayment Program. This would allow students to pay back their loans based on their income once they are working. The announcement was accompanied by a freeze on compulsory ancillary fees charged by the Universities. Ancillary fees include such things as student union fees and athletic fees. Criticism of the tuition increase was fast in coming. The Canadian Federation of Students argued that the tuition increase "hits the most vulnerable individuals in the system: lower and middle income students." SGA President at Laurentian, Heather Bishop, said in an interview Monday that "right now any hike is too much.

The students that are here now can't afford to come." Bishop said that despite the government's goal to increase spaces in universities the tuition increase will actually have negative effects on students already in school. "Some full-time students will have to drop down to part-time because they won't be able to afford to go to school full-time." She said the increased revenue "may open spaces for first-year students." But money saved during high school soon runs out and these students too will have to face rising tuition fees. On the topic of the Income Contingent Loan repayment Program, Bishop said she didn't like it at all. "From the day you get the loan, interest starts accruing." She said, "High paid individuals pay their loan back right away. But your average teacher or nurse will have a lower salary. For these individuals, it will

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take longer to pay off the loan, therefore they will have to pay more interest." Bishop said the program has been tested in Australia and Sweden. "The average man is paying off his

debt until he's 45 and the average woman until she's 55." Bishop said, "You should plan to start your life off with a \$30 000 debt load."

The one benefit to students of the increase in tuition fees according to Bishop is the social contract. "Any money can't go to wages because of the social contract. I hope it will go into services. I hope, but somehow, I'm skeptical." Bishop said she is concerned about tuition increases in the future. "Come November, with an election, if another party comes in, if tuition increases came from a party that is supposed to be committed to students, what will happen when a party gets in that is not so committed."

## SGA Board Refuses To Ratify VP Communications

by Janice Savage  
Editor-in-Chief

### SGA Board Meeting

Richard Therrien will not be taking the position of SGA VP Bilingual Affairs and Communications for a second term. The SGA Board refused to ratify Therrien at a meeting on March 23.

In his report, Chief Returning Officer, Troy Whetstone made note of the incident that called Therrien's eligibility for the election into question. He stressed that he could have made a decision as to Therrien's fate in his report, but decided to bring the decision to the Board for their debate.

He reported that Therrien, an original member of the Campaign Electoral Committee had resigned from his position on the CEC at the same time as he presented Whetstone with his nomination form on February 16.

Section 8.35 of the SGA/AGE constitution states that no member of the CEC can actively partici-

pate in a campaign for any candidate. Whetstone claimed that Therrien's position on the CEC allowed him to obtain inside information that the position of VP Communications and Bilingual Affairs was uncontested.

When answering to the charges, Mr. Therrien called his actions an "oversight". He had apparently not been aware of the specific clauses in the constitution preventing him from seeking the 40 required signatures for nomination while still holding his seat on the committee.

He explained that he had begun to seek the required signatures "at the last minute" on the evening of February 15, the day before nominations were to be officially closed. He also stated that he had no idea that his actions had caused a problem until shortly before it was brought before the Board.

At the end of a tense debate, a yes/no vote was taken to determine if Richard Therrien should be disqualified from the position of VP Communications and Bilingual Affairs.

The question came up 11 to 7 in favour of disqualifying Therrien.

Heather Bishop, SGA/AGE President elect, had no comment on the outcome of the vote.

Richard Therrien said that he was "disappointed that the only media attention [he] received all year was negative."

A by-election for the position of VP Communications and Bilingual Affairs will be scheduled in the upcoming academic year.

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## Defending Professor Rucki

I am a male. I have been a male for as long as I can remember. That is why I believe that it is my duty to report on a situation objectively from mine own eyes which may not be reported with as much meaning from the words of a female. I am speaking in defense of my professor of Women Studies, Elizabeth Rucki.

I am in her night class on Tuesdays. I am not as big fan of the course. Women Studies is not my favorite subject and I cannot claim that I am maintaining a high average. This, however, should not reflect off of the professor, as it is only my opinion of the course. I did not enjoy the readings assignments; some of them were very dull.

However, Professor Rucki kept me coming to class. She is a good lecturer who does not try to overwhelm her students with complicated vocabulary. She has a good rapport with all of the students that I have encountered, including the class that she teaches with the male student who had a problem with her. I have never met him. I refuse to include his name in this article as I feel that he has received too much press as it is.

The "man-bashing" that has been claimed as being prevalent in

the course has been blown totally out of proportion. On this issue, I can only attest for the night class. (The day and night classes did cover the same material, however.) There may have been some small cracks made at the expense of men in general; I was never the victim of any such verbal abuse nor took offense to any comments made by any of the women. These comments never took form of a prolonged discussion, either; there might be the odd "one-liner". However, this was very rare.

It does not attempt to side women against men; it informs the students about the role that women play and have played in society. This must include the repression of women by men because it has and does exist.

Without the feminist movement, it is not likely that this course exist; thus, it is an essential component of the course. However, the feminist movement was never preached to us nor was it glorified. It was covered with equal regard in comparison to any other issue dealt with in the course. There was no "neo-nazi training ground for the feminist movement" conducted by Professor Rucki of the Women Studies department.

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by Gordon Gekko  
Columnist

This week's column is a stream of consciousness, I'm going to share some of my insights with you on a couple of topics that have grabbed my attention recently. The first is the provincial NDP government which, of late, as made Attila the Hun look like a brother of the working class. The NDP have learned that leftist policies do not work and obviously are shifting over to the right. Why? As conservatism predicts, the left's policies are not grounded in reality. Conservatism has long been attacked for being soulless, but in case you hadn't noticed, if you govern in a truly conservative fashion (and I don't mean the Mulroney regime) you achieve the results that the people want, common sense, jobs, and fiscal responsibility. The whole Women's Studies debate has begun to take the shape of a circus. In a parody of the "Bonfire of the Vanities" story line, everyone wants to get in on it. We now have the Sudbury Women's (or is it Womyn's) Center sending out a FAX charging Beauchamp and Neskari with organizing a conspiracy

## Enter Stage Right

against their embattled sister up at Thorneloe. Rather funny considering that Neskari's claim is that Rucki made a racist comment. No matter, like "Bonfire of the Vanities", the true facts don't have to get out just as long as you make it on the news. Signs, signs, everywhere signs, and for only \$100 000. A deal no doubt. It's shocking that some bureaucrat here at Laurentian decided that signs were more important than something as trivial as books for the library or materials for classes. Some of you might not remember the chair that the university bought for \$1300 for another of the hard workers here at Laurentian a few years ago. Just shows you that your \$2000 means nothing, you have no share or say here at Laurentian. I've figured out what the Generation X label really means. It means your whiner. These "X"ers annoy the hell out of me, constantly whining because no one will give them a break. Too bad. Get



out there like the rest of us and get a job and go to school. Who wouldn't look down on some marijuana smoking, lazy, unshaven putz who thinks "Slacker" defines their life. No one gets anywhere when they expect others to do their work for them.

Hmmm, I guess that's about it. It's been a fun year, and I will be back next year (screw you if you don't like it). I look forward to more entanglements with the other side. Have a good summer. Remember wear your conservatism with pride, we are winning the war.

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## WOMN1005: One Student's Response

by Geramie O'Shea

My name is Geramie O'Shea and I am student in Elizabeth Rucki's Women and Popular Culture class. I would like to speak on behalf of the people in the class who believe that Ms. Rucki was quickly and harshly judged. She was put under instant and intense scrutiny. In a single bolt of media-induced lightning, she was reduced to nothingness.

Ironically, her class focuses on the female gaze. This class seeks to convey information about how the female gaze is overlooked in media and perhaps society. It is not a classful of militant feminists, it is a classful of women with minds, eyes, voices, hearts and wills. I feel it ironic that two males managed to overturn Rucki's little ship with perhaps two well-placed articles.

I am not saying that the class was great or amazing or anything. What I am saying is that it is important. I knew nothing of the female gaze when I entered Rucki's class. I believe that Rucki should be given back her ship, her class, her message. We women with minds need it.

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by Melanie Marttila  
Contributor

Can we be reasonable? I mean, can we stop whining about Laurentian's poor reputation and start doing something about it?

The assumption goes something like this; you're in university now and it's time to start caring about what is happening around you.

You may be despondent, unwilling to make an effort in a world that has only shown you ingratitude, but if you can't if you can't even be bothered to clean up after yourself in the Great Hall, how can you expect respect?

This university is in dire need of change, and I think that caring students and not the administration should determine the nature of these changes. Would students have made the same decisions as the administration has in the last year or so? Do nice, new building, pretty signs, and LCD parking meters really impress anyone concerned with a quality education?

If cosmetic changes are such a priority, why not do something useful like pave the @#%!! parking lots! Was it essential to have lights in the signs? I think phosphorescent paint would have been sufficient, and I can only assume that other things could have been done to reduce the cost of those lopsided money pits.

These kind of strange decisions are indicative of the way this university seems to operate though. Instead of opting for the most efficient thing, decisions seem to be made on the basis of desire.

Impulse spending is often regretted. I know a measly 100,000 dollars wouldn't have gone far in offsetting the expected raise in tuition fees, but maybe it could have been used to help restructure the way that the university operates. In that way, long-term savings could be realized and invested in the fu-

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ture of this institution (i.e. the students).

If Mr. Chrysler were sincerely interested in the image of that this university projects, as he claimed in Andy McKillican's article last week, then he should be looking into the proper training of the tour guides too.

A beautiful campus can only go so far when you have a guide that leads you into the hub of the university and says "This is the Student Centre. Here is a place to sit around and upstairs is a place to relax. Over there is the games room." Excuse me? No mention of our campus news papers, CFLR, the SGA or I'AEF? I honestly swear I heard a guide say those words! But reforming the campus tours is small potatoes, just like the signs.

It's the apathy that oozes out of the people (students and administration) at this university that is the problem; it's truly painful to see. Apathy is what people sense when they come on campus. It's what reporters from Macleans saw when they were milling around in the halls. Laurentian should be a place where we learn that one person can make a difference.

Yeah we have a lot of work to do, but how often is that used as an excuse for ineptitude and lack of action in the world today? Don't succumb to the lemming syndrome! You gotta be you!

There are many forums where you can be heard on campus. This paper is one. In fact, all of the campus media are more than happy to publish/broadcast your opinions. Campus organizations from the SGA and I'AEF to the Food Services Committee and the Peer Assistants are in existence to help solve students' problems on campus. (Hint to the SGA: Next year, I want to see the kind of dedication six thousand dollars can buy...)

Residence advisors and assistants address issues concerning on-campus living and even depart-

mental clubs and special interest groups can give you a voice. So get involved!

Don't get me wrong; I do value this institution. I have had a terrific learning experience here, but the difficulty of dealing with the administrative body on campus has been frustrating since the Registration Day I arrived here two years ago. After spending ten hours on campus just trying to negotiate the registration process, I lost it.

How about holding the "R" day in the gymnasium? Three or four orderly columns could filter through the place and pick up everything there, even their I.D. I bet you something like that will only take half the time.

And what about pre-registration? Why should I, a returning student, have to wait until July to find out what courses I'm taking in September? It might be easier not just for the students, but for the professors too if the course offerings were decided a year in advance. Core courses should be offered regularly and electives should rotate years.

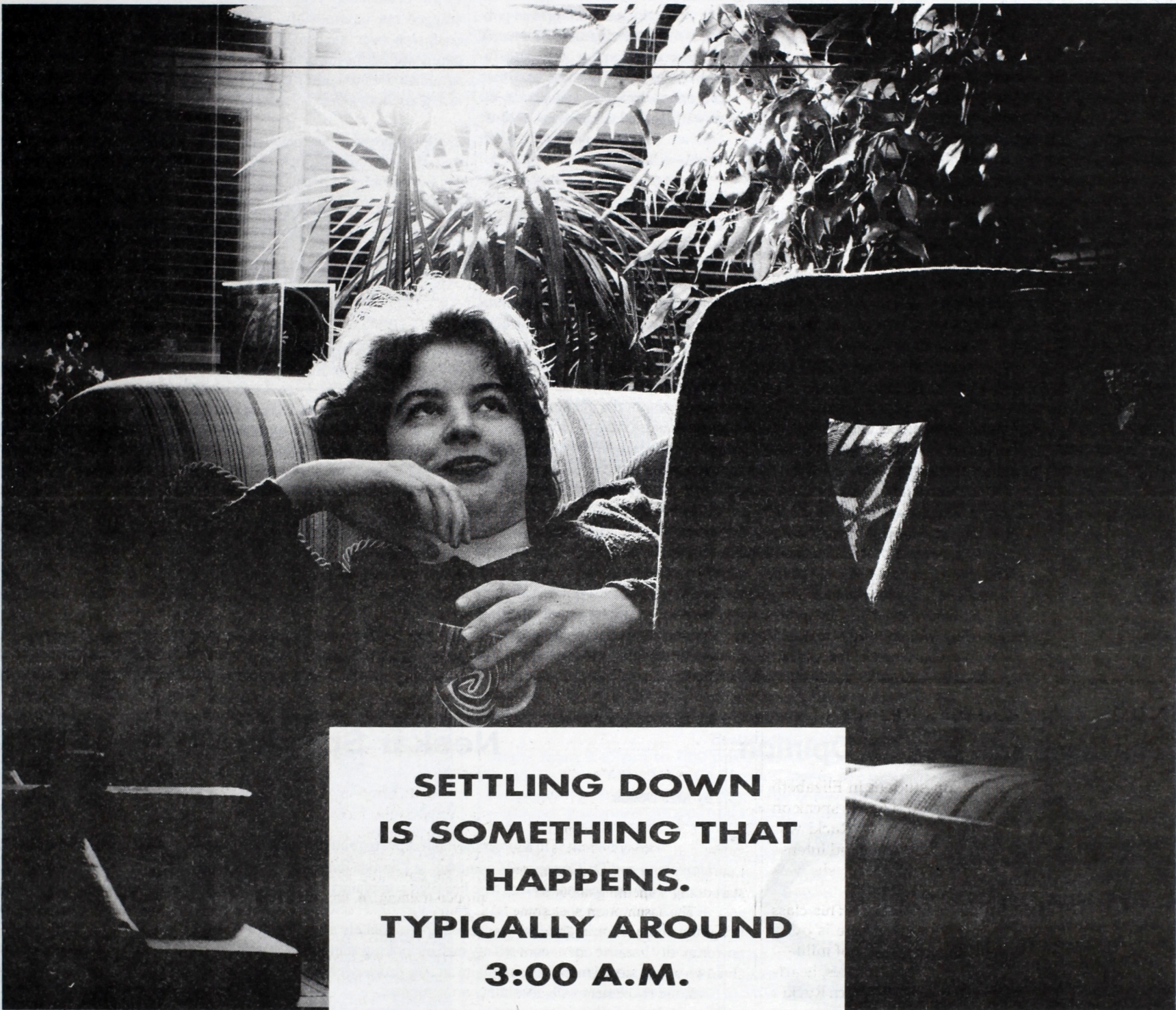
We need to have a few more professors, and we need to have pre-registration before the end of the school year. It would be so nice not to have to worry about whether I'm going to be able to fulfill my degree. Cripes! I could even plan my course through Laurentian if I knew what next year's offerings would be.

Well, I suppose this is a little late in the year to be ranting about this stuff, but I think it is enormously important to foster a caring attitude in people while they are in university because when they get out and get jobs, it's our whole society, our whole way of life that's threatened. You can't live a life without passion. You can only survive it.

Smooches and hugs to all my friends who are leaving this year. I'm going to miss you guys.

Take care into the world with you, and continue to make a positive impact on the people around you. Cheers....





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## Faculty Response to Women's Studies Incident

We are writing to express our concern and dismay over the public campaign of vilification directed against Dr. Elizabeth Rucki and the Women's

Studies programme at Laurentian University. Wide currency has been given through the local media to allegations by Mr. Brian

Beauchamp, a student suspended from Dr. Rucki's class for having disrupted it, that her class is "a neo-nazi training ground for radical feminism". More recently, another student, Mr. Alan Nesar, has taken to the air waves to raise allegations of anti-Semitism against Dr. Rucki.

Professors have some power over the lives of their students and so it is only fair that students have access to independent and impartial avenues of appeal and complaint. But when complainants make this sort of public accusation, the politics behind the complaint must come to the forefront. This is more than usually true in the case of Dr. Rucki, for the charges against her harmonize per-

fectly with the currently fashionable society-wide campaign against so-called "political correctness," officially launched several years ago by

But when complainants make this sort of public accusation, the politics behind the complaint must come to the forefront.

former U.S. president George Bush.

The neo-conservative proponents of this view charge that society, and especially its educational institutions, are toiling under the intellectual tyranny of those who would champion the interests of women, native people and racial minorities, immigrants, the handicapped, welfare recipients and so on. Those who would speak up on behalf of the plight of oppressed white males and impoverished capitalists are apparently reduced to quivering silence. Anyone who has looked into the distribution of power and resources in our society or thought carefully about it will recognize this charge for the nonsense it is. But the campaign against "PC" is

not about thought. It is about blaming the victim and, through the politics of fear, silencing those who would call into question the neo-conservative conventional wisdom by which the entrenched prerogatives of the powerful—and the burdens of those who are exploited, marginalized, or simply different—are justified.

If the witch hunt for the politically correct is to continue, an evil genius must be found behind the scenes. It is, of course, the professor of women's studies of labour studies of native studies or simply a professor prepared to question conventional wisdom. It is, in this case, Dr. Rucki. Since the campaign against her has fed into the PC witch hunt, it has fostered a social climate in the university and in the classroom hostile to any questioning of received opinion and, consequently, to intellectual freedom.

We are concerned that the way in which the Laurentian University administration seems to be dealing with Mr. Beauchamp's appeal of his suspension and with the entire controversy indicates a failure to appreciate the stultifying effect that these kinds of charges can have upon intellectual freedom in the university as a whole. In particular,

1) Mr. Beauchamp's appeal is being dragged out interminably, creating confusion over the appeals procedure as well as the impression that the administration is making up the rules as it goes along.

2) the impression has been created that the administration is treating Mr. Beauchamp's appeal as a complaint, suggesting that anything con-

vention would have been a significant violation of Nesar's right's as a student and would supply some justification for his turning to the mass media to have his case heard. His claim, if true, would therefore mean that the administration bears some responsibility for turning the complaint against Dr. Rucki into a media witch hunt.

We call upon the administration of Laurentian University to clarify its position and its role in these events and to speak out clearly and forcefully

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cerning an instructor is fair game in an appeal. The implications of 1) and 2) for academic and intellectual freedom are obvious and alarming.

3) the university administration has failed to take a stance defending intellectual freedom and explaining its importance

4) Mr. Nesar has claimed that a university administrator improperly pressured him to abandon his complaint against Dr. Rucki. Such inter-

fully in defence of a university base upon mutual respect and dedicated to intellectual freedom.

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### Sudbury Women's Centre Opinion

The Sudbury Women's Centre and the Sudbury Sexual Assault Crisis Centre are very concerned about harassment of a faculty member of Thornloe's Women's studies Program at Laurentian University. We are particularly concerned that two male students — 37-year old Brian Beauchamp and 33-year-old Alan Nesar— have managed to hijack an entire class, Laurentian University administration and Thornloe's Board of Governors. These two students have carefully orchestrated a campaign against Professor Rucki and the Women's Studies program. According to public reports, the following is a chronology of the events:

1) Beauchamp began disrupting a first-year women's studies class taught by Professor Rucki in September of 1993; Thornloe and Laurentian University administration examined the class and found the problem was not the course content or the professor's conduct but that Beauchamp had not been acting in good faith with respect to resolving his concerns; 3) at the end

of November 1993, Beauchamp was requested to transfer to a correspondence course; 4) Beauchamp stalled and kept showing up in Professor Rucki's class; 5) Beauchamp verbally agreed to transfer to another class in January of 1994; 4) Beauchamp reneged on his commitment to transfer to the other class and returned to Professor Rucki's class; 7) finally, Beauchamp was formally asked by administration to transfer to a correspondence course to his violation of the student code of conduct; 8) Beauchamp launched an appeal regarding the transfer; 9) four days before the appeal hearing, Beauchamp went to the press; 10) during the appeal hearing, Beauchamp succeeded in getting the Laurentian

University administration to reexamine the Professor's conduct and course. We feel it is not coincidental that the second student, Nesar, went to the press the day of the appeal and without going through the proper channels at the University to have his concerns addressed.

President of Thornloe College, Don Thompson, questioned whether "Beauchamp wasn't engaged in subtle terrorism by persistently challenging both the professor and the appeal process". We applaud Dr. Thompson for his valuable insight into the motivation for Mr. Beauchamp's behavior. We are wondering why the Board of Governors and administrators at the University have decided to launch a full-scale investigation into the allegations against the Women Studies program and one of its professors based on the conduct and agenda of two men who are obviously threatened by the very existence of women's studies courses. We see these actions as hostile and constituting part of a backlash against feminism.

Christina McInnes, Coordinator, Sudbury Women's Centre  
Alexandra Dean, Collective Member, Sudbury Sexual Assault Crisis Centre



### Nesar Speaks Out

by Alan Nesar

This comment is to address the media coverage concerning a specific women studies professor at Thornloe University and Dr. Thompson's comment in Lambda dated March 17, 1994.

I am the second student who has filed complaints against the same professor that threw a male student out of a different women studies class. I am a victim of racism because the professor made an offensive comment in front of the whole class. This happened approximately a couple of weeks before reading week. I am an invisible minority because one cannot tell my race by looking at me and I was deeply hurt by her comment. It has been over two weeks since I made my complaint and the professor has not responded; she is on sick leave. Dr. Thompson has sent me two letters with absolutely no substance.

I also feel it is important to state in response to some of the false media reports that it is not my intent to destroy the women studies department. I feel that it is important for the women studies department to welcome men in order to unite and not divide the two genders. My complaint, however, has nothing to do with gender. But it has everything to do with a remark that deeply insulted and angered me.

I make no apology for going to the media. My reason for going to the media was due to the fact that I had no faith in the established procedures for restitution. When I saw how a male student was expelled from another women studies course by the same professor, I could not trust in Dr. Thompson's so called due process.

As a mature student in my thirties, I challenge all students to stand up for their rights. We, the students are consumers of Laurentian University and we pay thousands of dollars every year to attend school. The university has the obligation to provide us with the best education that is possible. When students make complaints, the university needs to pay attention.

I suggest that Thornloe University and Dr. Thompson stop dragging their heels and move on with their investigation. I will accept nothing less than a public apology from Dr. Thompson and the professor involved.

### Dear Lambda Staff and Laurentian Students,

Hello friends. Bill the Cat here. It is with a sad tear in my eye that I am writing this letter. I hope that it is received in time for the last issue for I don't know of any other time that I can reach so many people that I love. It is actually good news and bad news. You see, ever since I started writing for the paper, the overwhelming popularity of the column has swept to the four corners of the world. A few months ago, I was approached by Warner Entertainment to do some work for them. As they became familiar with my portfolio, the contract negotiations became more and more complicated. The final result is that I have now left school in order to fulfill some of the obligations of my contract. I'm starting to film a movie with Henry Rollins and Ice-T tomorrow. Things are really hectic with the negotiations for the book publishing deal and the recording contract. I want you, my friends, to know that I didn't do it for the money. I have a clause in my contract that will allow me to submit writings from time to time, which I plan to do next year. I will miss you all. Big wet hugs and kisses. Love from,

Bill the Cat

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### \*\* ATTENTION \*\* All First Nation Students

End of Year POTLUCK, Wednesday April 6th, 1994 from 11:30 am - 2:00 pm in Room 004 of the University of Sudbury. DISCUSSION: Future Direction of N.S.S.A.

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Meets from 5:45 pm to 7:00 pm Tuesdays and Thursdays in the Alphonse Raymond Building Gym (Teacher's College). Classes are open to students, faculty and staff of L.U. People can join at any time. Small fee is requested and there is no special equipment required. For more info, contact Craig at 523-2785 or Phys. Ed. Services at ext. 1002.

### SUDBURY WOMEN'S CENTRE

The next Women's Legal Clinic will be held on Tuesday April 12 from 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm and Tuesday May 3rd, 1994 from 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm at the Sudbury Women Centre, 268 Frood Rd. This service is free. Any women may see the lawyer privately and obtain legal information on any matter. An appointment is necessary. To make an appointment, please call 673-1916

### ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING - CFLR

The Laurentian Student and Community Radio Corporation will hold its Annual General Meeting on April 26th, 1994, at 5:00 pm. The meeting will be held in Room L-303 of the Parker Bldg. at Laurentian University. All current members of the Corporation are urged to attend. For more information, please call 675-1151 ext. 2412.

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Annual Banquet, Friday April 8th, 1994. Fontaine Bleue Dining Room, at Cambrian College. Tickets are on sale. For information, call 855-0076.

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2. Travel Trade Manual 1993/94 from HKTA
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5. Cassette tape of Leon Lai's Concert

Please call VP, Cultural Priscilla at 688-0516 for reservation. They are free of charge for HKSA members. For those who are not members but interested in borrowing the above items, please call Assoc. President Charity Wong at 688-9802.

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Just how much they long to kiss  
That precious face I've grown to miss.  
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In fleeting moments passing by  
My heart is begging you to stay.  
With words my mouth will never say.  
So now I lay upon my bed  
With visions of you in my head.  
I've tried so hard but now you're gone  
But I'll find the strength to carry on.  
Don't forget me for awhile.  
Remember me with but a smile  
and I'm still dreaming of the time  
when life held love and you were mine.

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before the rain, before the end,  
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our dance to the edge from the other side.  
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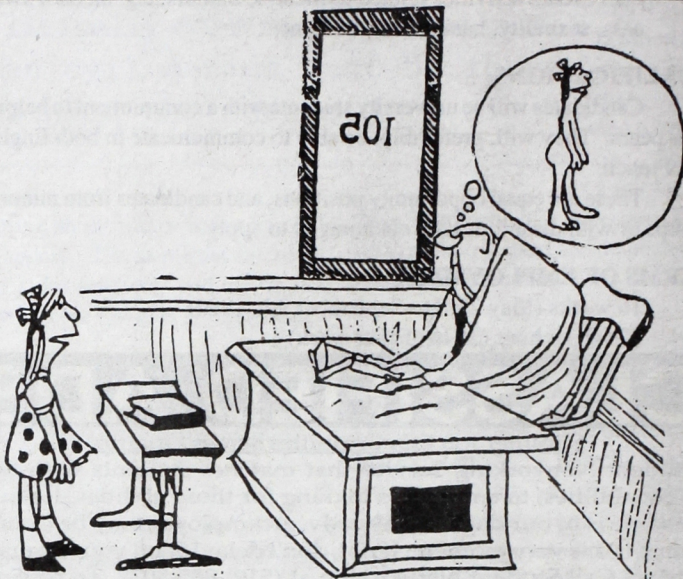
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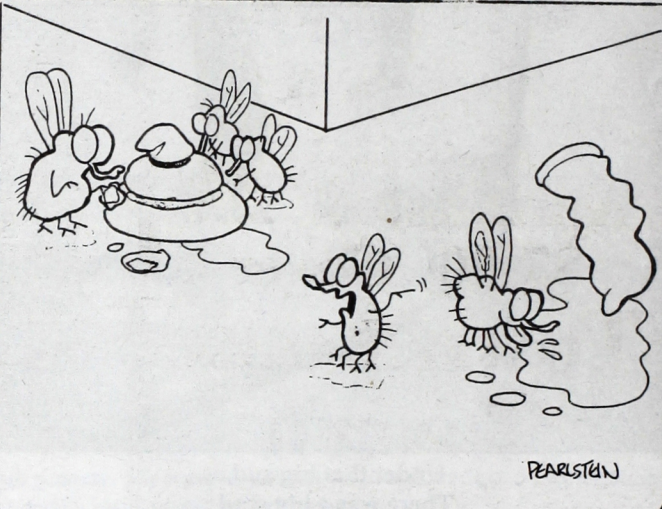
That's right, if you're in or around the music industry then you should be interested in registering for this four day comprehensive festival & conference in Vancouver. Produced by Maureen Jack (founder of Music West) and Laurie Mercer (manager for NoMeansNo and Pure), this year's festival marks the start of a partnership with the Melbourne Music Festival from Australia. The dates for the Music West conference are May 12th-15th, 94.

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If you want information about the festival, the workshops, the skateboarders, or just want to talk to someone on the other side of the country, call Music West at (604) 684-9338.



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I'd just like to take this space to thank a few people who have helped me greatly this past year. To Lisa and Tara, thanks for your continued interest and creativity. Without you, interviews would have never happened. Thanks to my most loyal contributors who made the Entertainment Section something for everyone, especially "Miss Manners", "Bill the Cat", "Edward Shred", Darren Lebrash, and everyone else who contributed. I hope you enjoyed the section this year. I've tried to make it "something for everyone". The "Did You Know That" column received tremendous support and I'm glad to see some of the more enjoyable ones tacked up across the campus. Anyway have a good summer and good luck on your exams and all that shit! Thanks!

## Editor's Message

April Fool's Day is the first of April, also known as All Fools' Day. On this day practical jokes are played, such as sending a friend on a fool's errand or duping him into doing or believing something absurd. Although the practices of the day are of obscure origin, they are thought to have arisen with the celebrations of the vernal (spring) equinox. Many folklorists believe that the custom of playing someone for a fool on this day was begun in France in 1564 with the adoption of the reformed calendar. A person who resisted changing New Year's Day from April 1 to January 1 was victimized by pranksters on April 1 and became known as *poisson d'avril* (April fish). Widespread observance of the day began in England in the 18th century. In Scotland, the custom of making April fools is known as hunting the gowk (cuckoo). In Mexico, All Fools' Day is celebrated on December 28.

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Recently, while reading things that I probably shouldn't have been reading, I came across a fax from this city's "classic rock" radio station, CJRQ. First off, you all may have a little bit of an idea of where my allegiance lies in terms of music, so you know that this isn't a positive, gushing review of the things they do. I'd like to mention first that I do know some of the folk over there at Q92, they're pretty cool, so this is nothing personal.

OK, get to the point. The station has decided to hold a "champ-a-thon" at The Edge where the point is to do your best imitation of that dork heard daily on the Sturgeon Mel (I think) show. Participants are encouraged to write their own script and perform it, the finals being on April 6th. It's a shame that this is still going on in 1994. Having grown up in southern Ontario, I'm sick of hearing this "champ" piece. It was bad when the big stations in Toronto did it five years ago and it was dumb when Maclean and Maclean did it fifteen years ago. Yet, it still invades towns everywhere. The major problem is that it suffers from horrible writing. Maybe, in five years it will be the "big new thing" in Kirkland Lake or someplace like that. In the new millennium it will take over Moosonee. Hopefully, it will then slide into James Bay and we'll never have to hear it again.

As little as I like any of the music played on the radio station I would at least have some respect for them if they did something original. But, hey! The music is old and repetitive, so why not the rest of the content, right?

*Bill the Cat*

# The Mighty 'Q' Does It Again

Suddenly the ship shuddered, frantic cries rang out from above, feet pounded across the deck and protesting timbers groaned. The rumble of thunder rolling across the sky could be heard clearly even down in the hold. The ship shook again as something huge and heavy thudded into it. The sound of snapping timbers came to Torak's ears. Shaking off the effects of the sea-sickness he surged to his feet. Other slaves quickly moved out of his way as he moved swiftly through the dimly lit brig. He reached the base of the ladder leading up to the deck and climbed quickly.

He had tried earlier to open the iron grill at the top of the starway, straining at the lock and hinges until his captors above stabbed down with spears and swords forcing him to desist. Now however he would not have that problem, and, with the damage done to the ship by the Behemoth from below, Torak hoped he would be able to win his freedom.

Reaching the top of the ladder he found the grill closed and locked as expected. Giving a grunt of resignation he quickly put his broad back square against the iron bars. Taking a few deep breaths he snapped his legs straight, heaving upwards mightily, muscles straining with all his considerable strength. Wood creaked and iron buckled slightly. He released a little and then flexed again, nothing, again, nothing, again, the wood around the hinges creaked a little more. Setting his jaw, sweat prickling his skin, Torak strained till he could feel his sinews begin to tear. The wood groaned, shrieked, splintered and snapped, the grill exploded

upwards and fell to the wet rain-soaked deck with a clang. Muscles strained and aching he leaped onto the deck with panther like speed, ready for any opposition. Standing instinctively in the defensive combat stance drilled into him during his years as a Gladiatorial slave, Torak quickly glanced about, his piercing green eyes taking everything in. The storm had not abated and rain lashed the deck. Sailors slipping and sliding on the slick deck ran by clutching swords, spears, gaff hooks and belaying pins. They were all moving towards the front of the ship from whence the captain's voice could be heard bellowing orders. Casting his gaze forward Torak saw what few men had seen and lived. Rising up a full twenty feet from the crests of the waves, baroniac, slimy and green-black scales glistening, was the horrific head of the Kraken.

Never during his years fighting in the arena had he seen a beast such as this. It's body was as wide as a man is high, it's skin a horrific combination of thick scales and hair. Two enormous saucer shaped eyes, gleaming with evil intelligence, stared out from it's head. It's gaping maw opened wide to show row upon row of sharp needle-like teeth. As he watched the Kraken surged forward, it's serpentine body rising out of the water and snaking over the ship and diving back in to the waves, it coiled around the foredeck and began to constrict. The Captain bellowed orders, pirates rushed forward and began hacking and pounding in vain upon the thick scales of the Kraken's body. Seeing their efforts were all but futile Torak cast his gaze about for a suitable weapon. Spying a splintered oar and quickly snatching it up, he began running towards the melle at the bow.

## Torak of Tamar Part II

inhibits sperm production, ovulation, and sexual desires.|| Webster's definition of 'Orgasm means "to swell, to be lustful." || Condoms will last about two years before use. || According to the old saying, "a stiff penis had no conscience." \* \* \* Sunlight increases sexual desire by stimulating the primary gland, which regulates the ovaries and testes. Darkness signals the pineal gland to produce melatonin, which sticks (shimmies) made from carefully selected and peeled saplings that had crooked roots. For pucks, players used Jack the Ripper. As reported by his hangman, his last words were, "I'm Jack the...|| Dr. Thomas Neill each letter on the press upside down or backwards. Sometimes this led to confusing letters like p, q, r, s, t, u, v, w, x, y, z. || When bowing, a gentleman "put his best foot forward" to show the shapely calf muscle|| Trappers used skins as their currency. As they danced the powder fell off, causing a need for a place to repowder, and powder rooms evolved. || A printer set type by hand placing needed tightening every so often. Thus of his deed. Such reforms were a peasant simply for "killing language. || According to the American Humane Society, there are 3,500 kittens, 2,000 puppies and 415 human babies born in the U.S. every hour! || Dr. Thomas Neill and q. So they had to mind their p's and q's.|| \* Taphephobia is the fear of being buried alive.|| Otophobia is the fear of opening one's eyes. \*\*\* They referred to all skins as buckskins or bucks, so the term "buck" for money entered our School in 1876, was hanged in London, England, in 1892 for murder. Jack the Ripper was active at this time and some believe Dr. Cream may indeed have been a hundred or more years ago, hockey was called "shimmy" after the quarters of a mile. || Sunlight increases sexual desire by stimulating the old Quebec in pioneer days by the length of time required to smoke a pipeful of tobacco. Each pipeful averaged three swallowed dried owls' eyes. This, they felt, would cause the child to make an additional effort to escape. \* \* \*

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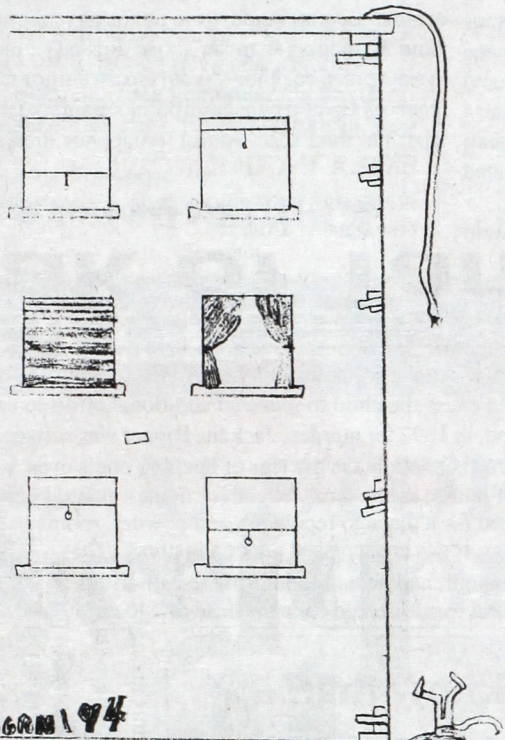
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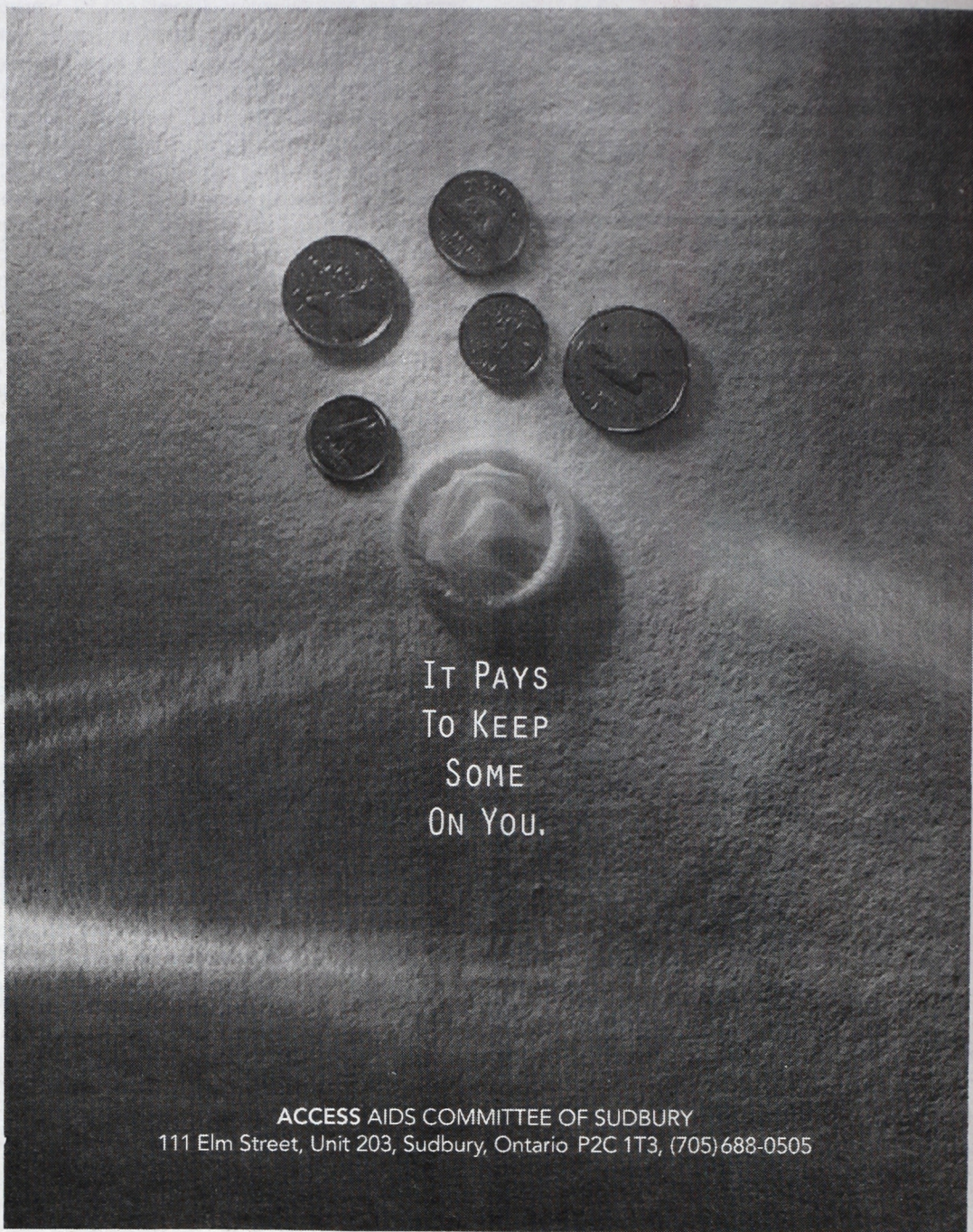
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Firstly, to deal with all the holes you've made over the year from tacking up posters and the like, you can remedy the situation by using regular toothpaste. Most walls are white so this shouldn't be a problem. For some of you in residence, the walls may be a robin-egg blue. Again, this can be remedied with toothpaste, although you may have to opt for the more expensive Aqua-Fresh, which is also blue. Just dab a bit of the toothpaste onto your finger and smear it over the holes, wiping off any excess.

If you've made cuts in the counter tops over the year from cutting things without a cutting board, you can avoid the expensive cost of repair or replacement by using the meat of a walnut. Just rub the walnut into the cracks and presto - no more crack. If the countertops are white (which most are) you can again use toothpaste to hide the discolouration that the walnut may produce.

Holes in walls are something that require a bit more attention. If for some reason a hole has appeared in the wall, you can now use those pizza boxes that you have been "saving" all year. You must also buy some polyfill or something like that in order for this to work. Take the box and cut it to match the size of the hole. Put the cardboard on the INSIDE of the hole and fasten it with tape or glue. Then just put the polyfill on and let it dry. Again if the walls are white you can use toothpaste to hide any discolouration, but if you live in res and the walls are another colour, you may have to buy some touch-up paint. This repair job may cost between 8 to 10 dollars, but it is much cheaper than what the landlord or res official will charge (and most likely the problem will never be fixed properly anyway).

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I don't think people really understand April Fool's Day any more. Maggie says what's to understand? Well, for one thing, there are two kinds of jokes - good to bad and vice versa. The first is when somebody offers you a piece of candy (good) and it turns out to be chocolate-covered soap (bad). The second is when somebody tells you something terrible has happened (bad) and after you've stewed for a while they say April Fool (good).  
"This is your idea of a joke?" Maggie asked. "Telling somebody his wife has run off with the garbage man?"  
"Of course not," I said. "It has to be something believable."  
"Tell that to Karl Beckenbach."  
"Who's he?"  
"The man that has the electric repair shop - you know. His wife ran off with the garbage man almost a year ago."  
"That still doesn't mean the next fellow will believe it, just because it happened to Karl Beckenbach. Funny I never heard about it."  
"April Fool!" she said.  
"That's not fair," I said. "April Fool's Day isn't until next week."  
I called out two boys in. "next Friday is April Fools' Day," I said. "Have you made your plans?" They just looked at each other.  
"You're supposed to play tricks on people - jokes," I said. "For instance, you phone the drugstore and ask if they have Prince Albert in the can. When the man says yes, you say, 'Why don't you let him out?' The boys were staring at me blankly. "Prince Albert is a kind of tobacco," I said. "Comes in a can."  
"That's a joke?" Sammy asked.  
Sometimes I have the feeling that children today have no sense of humour. I described the old favorites - the wallet on a string, the chocolate soap. The one they liked best was the mouse. I showed them how to bend a paper clip into a horseshoe and put a rubber band across with a button threaded on it. Then you wind up the button and put it in an envelope to hold it flat. When somebody open it, the button spins, making a noise like a mouse trying to get out, and scares the pants off them.  
"Remember," I said, "these things may work now, but on April Fools' Day everybody is on guard, so you have to be extra tricky."  
The boys looked thoughtful. Maybe there was some hope.  
When I got home Friday, I found a wallet by the garage door. There was a cord tied to it and going around the corner. It was so clumsy and obvious it was sort of touching. I peered around the corner. The cord ran up over the edge of the roof. There was a ladder just beyond it. I climbed up until I could see over the edge. The cord was fastened to a pan of water. "Very clever," I said. "But not quite clever enough."  
When I got down, I discovered that the back of the upper rungs had been freshly painted red on the left, and blue on the right. I found turpentine in the garage to clean my hands and went in the house.  
Later the boys came in. They said all the kids were out playing April Fools' jokes on each other and nothing worked. "Like this," Roy held out the wallet. "There was a string on it, but nobody pulled it like you said."  
"And it had two dollars in it," Sammy said. "Who would play a trick like that?"  
I looked at Maggie, busy with a magazine. "Somebody pretty devious," I said. To myself I added that it was a game two could play.  
"I almost forgot," I said. "I got tickets for the ice show on Saturday. They're in my jacket. Just reach in the breast pocket and bring them here - what's this?" Roy had his hand held out.  
"The tickets," he said.  
"Well great," I said. "It's April first. Doesn't that mean anything to you? Anything could have been in that pocket - pins, a mousetrap."  
Sammy passed me the candy dish. It contained just four very dubious-looking chocolates. I said no thanks. "You sure?" Maggie said. "You like chocolates." She took a piece. The boys each took a piece. The three of them stood there chewing and looking at me.  
"All right," I said. "Let me tell you where you made your mistake. The candies looked very funny - a little too funny in fact. I was supposed to think there was something wrong and not take any. But I didn't fall for it - I just pretended to be fooled to see how far you'd go."  
They exchanged sheepish looks. "If you expect to fool an old dog with new tricks -" The phone rang, and for once neither boy moved to answer it - a giveaway right there. I picked up the receiver.  
"Hello," a woman said. "Do you have Prince Albert in the can?" Her voice sounded strangely like Maggie's sister's.

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# Une autre année gaspillée?

Jenème Paça  
contributeur

Je sais que je n'ai rien écrit depuis un bon bout de temps, c'est pour cela que je vous écris encore un fois, sur un sujet qui m'est très proche. Alors, au lieu de niaiser comme le fait certaines organisations étudiantes, je vais vous dire ce qui me fait chier. Sauf que cette fois-ci, personne ne me lancera des menaces indirectes! Mais on ne sait jamais avec les étudiant(e)s de la Laurentienne qui ne font rien sauf s'ils/elles se sentent menacé(e)s.

La dernière fois que j'ai écrit un article, j'ai abaissé l'A.E.F.. Cette fois, j'aimerais me plaindre du



gouvernement ontarien et sa nouvelle politique pour les étudiant(e)s! Comme vous le savez déjà, il semblerait que le gouvernement fédéral n'aura pas de centre d'emploi pour étudiants cette année, car le gouvernement ontarien s'en charge maintenant. Le but du gouvernement ontarien est de créer des emplois, par contre, les étudiant(e)s sont exclu(e)s dans cette aventure.

Nous avons été dit que la récession est finie, mais les étudiant(e)s n'ont presque aucune chance d'avoir un emploi en sortant de l'université ou même un emploi pour l'été (pour repayer sa RAFÉO). Donc, est-ce que cela veut dire que les étudiant(e)s n'ont aucune place dans le monde du travail?

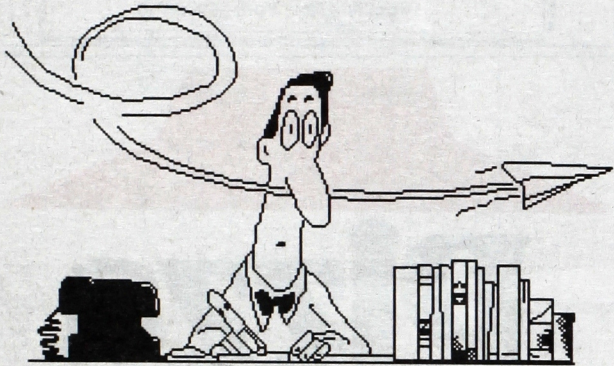
Lors des interviews, j'ai souvent été dit: "Vous être trop

qualifiés.", "Nous n'engageons qu'à plein temps.", "Il n'y a pas d'emploi, notre budget ne le permet pas.", etc.

C'est ironique qu'il n'y a pas d'emploi pour les étudiant(e)s, par contre les frais de scolarité montent toujours! Est-ce que les universités deviennent élitistes? Ou bien, est-ce que le gouvernement ne croit pas dans l'éducation universitaire pour tout le monde? Est-ce qu'on pourrait prendre pour acquis alors que les personnes pauvres sont stupide? Un peu comme dans le temps de l'esclavage, où l'esclave représentait une personne sans valeur!

Les élections ontariennes approchent, et moi je vais voter pour le parti qui croit que l'éducation c'est un droit et non une privilège! Comment aimez-vous cela Monsieur le premier ministre de l'Ontario?

## Le dernier éditorial de l'année! Enfin!



Kevin Perrault  
rédacteur français

Eh oui, c'est la dernière édition de l'année pour Lambda! Donc, j'écris mon dernier éditorial. Vous savez, ça me fait de quoi car la section française était en quelque sorte mon petit enfant que j'ai nourri toute l'année!

Malheureusement c'est la dernière édition avec une section française aussi car je n'ai pas pu trouver de remplaçant. Personne ne voulait me remplacer car j'ai fait un tellement bon travail que ça serait un suicide d'assez de me surpasser. Sérieusement, la section française est recommencée depuis deux ans et c'est triste de voir qu'elle ne pourra pas être là pour une troisième année de suite!

Je suis certain qu'il y a plusieurs personnes qui sautent de

joie à l'instant. Celles-ci m'ont accusé d'être un traître, ce qui m'a vraiment choqué. J'ai décidé de travailler pour le Lambda car je pensais pouvoir leur amener quelque chose. Puis j'espère que j'ai fait mon travail de façon adéquate. J'ai toujours cru qu'en travaillant pour le Lambda, je pourrais travaillé pour la francophonie. Au lieu de se cacher dans un coin, il vaut mieux faire quelque chose! Et c'est ce que j'ai fait!! Si les gens veulent me traiter de traître parce que je promouvais la francophonie, et bien je suis un traître!

J'ai été encouragé par plusieurs personnes de me présenter aux élections de certaines organisations. Sauf que j'ai réalisé que ce n'est pas la meilleure façon de pousser la francophonie. Les journaux et les comités sont de meilleurs groupes de pression que les associations étudiantes. Ce n'est que la réalité des choses, car les membres de l'administration ne veulent rien savoir des associations. Subséquemment, les autres

groupes de pression comme Lambda et l'Original déchaîné peuvent faire mieux entendre les griefs des étudiant(e)s et des francophones.

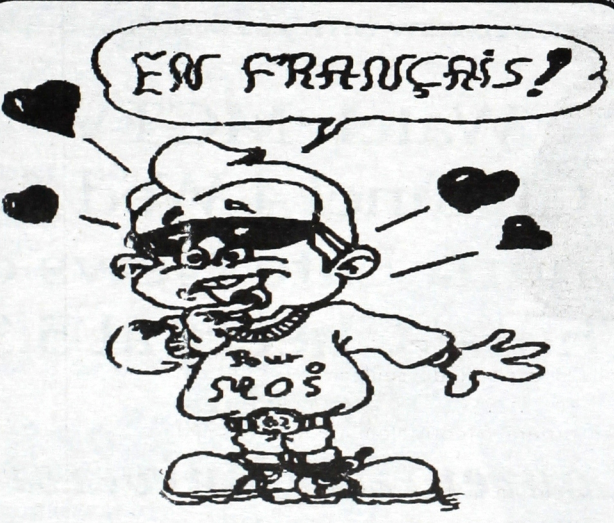
Maintenant, nous avons un problème car la section française n'existera plus, ce qui veut dire qu'il n'y aura qu'un forum pour les plaintes. En ayant plus de journaux, il y a plus d'endroits pour se plaindre et de faire des commentaires.

Enfin, je n'ai jamais voulu faire de la compétition avec l'Original déchaîné! Ce n'était jamais mon but! Mon but était plutôt de donner aux étudiant(e)s un endroit pour écrire des articles. De plus, j'ai pensé qu'il était temps de ressusciter la section française qui était là au tout début du journal.

J'espère que la section française vous a fait rire et réfléchir, sinon, je n'ai pas fait mon travail. Aurevoir (sniff!), et n'oubliez pas que la section française sera toujours avec vous dans votre coeur!

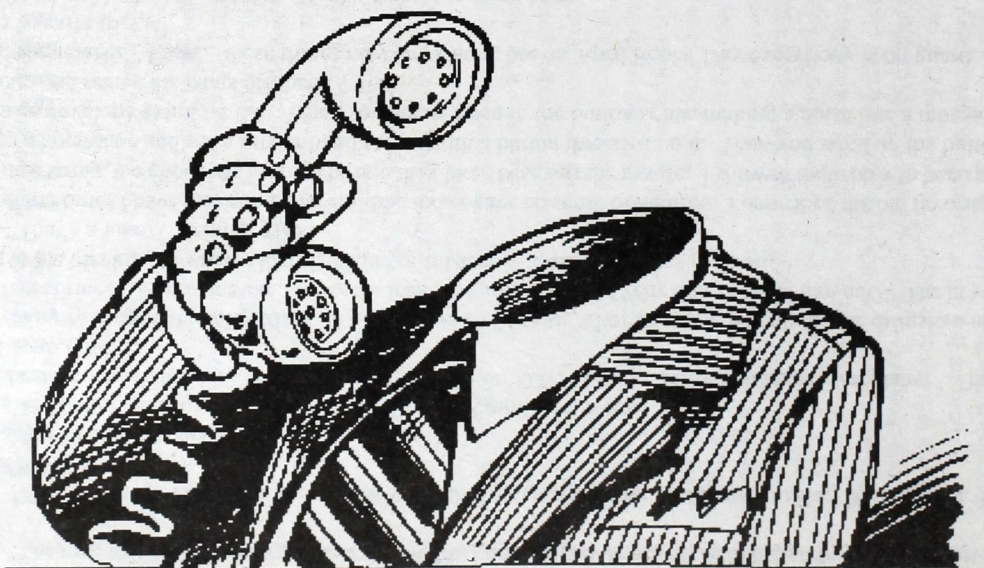
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## Notre tolérance légendaire a-t-elle des limites?

François Bergeron

pris de l'Express de la semaine  
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traitements des fillettes", lit-on dans ce document.

la loi et veiller à mieux l'appliquer.

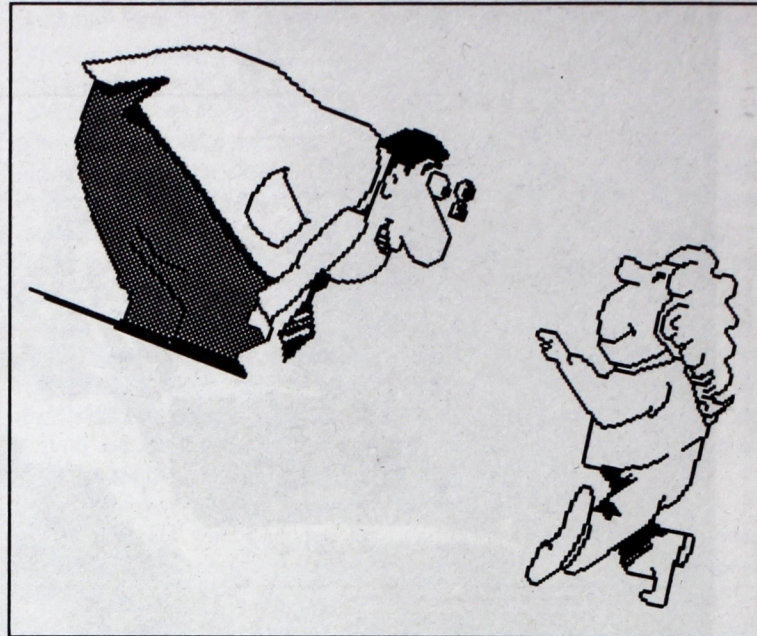
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On pourrait dire la même chose de la circoncision des petits garçons, une opération sans doute

Dans un autre domaine, on se demande au contraire si une loi de portée générale, sur l'abus sexuel des enfants, avait vraiment besoin d'être complétée par la loi contre la pornographie adoptée l'an dernier par le gouvernement conservateur.

Les partisans de la loi se réjouissent d'une récente saisie de matériel pornographique mettant en vedette des enfants chez un individu de London en Ontario, et des accusations portées contre lui.

Les adversaires de la loi contre la pornographie dénoncent, eux, la censure exercée par les Douanes sur des livres et des films expédiés à des "suspects" tels que des librairies homosexuels, de même que le récent raid policier contre une galerie et un



Tandis que les ayatollahs des Douanes poursuivent leur mission purificatrice au vu et au su d'un gouvernement impuissant ou apeuré, un tribunal a libéré notre artiste parce que celui-ci s'inspirait de son imagination plutôt que de modèles vivants...

Même si les homosexuels de la fonction publique jouissent déjà des mêmes avantages sociaux que la majorité, la nouvelle loi suscite une vive controverse... mais peut-être pas celle que l'on croit!!

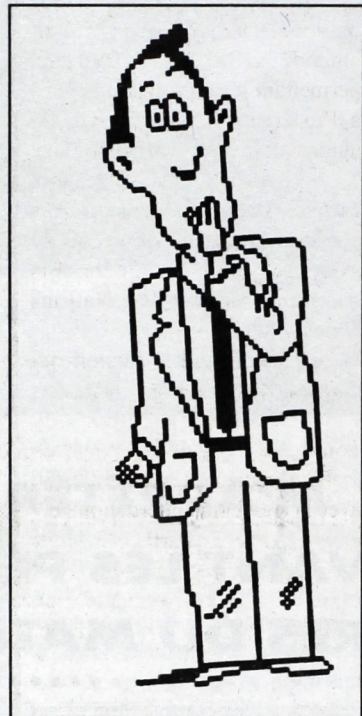
La plupart des Canadiens reconnaissent aujourd'hui que les homosexuels (2% de la population) n'ont pas à être persécutés ni à être traités différemment des autres dans la vie courante, notamment dans l'emploi.

Le débat tourne autour de la définition de "conjoint", présentement limitée à "la personne qui partage mon lit le plus souvent", mais qui serait en passe d'inclure les simples colocataires et les amis de passage.

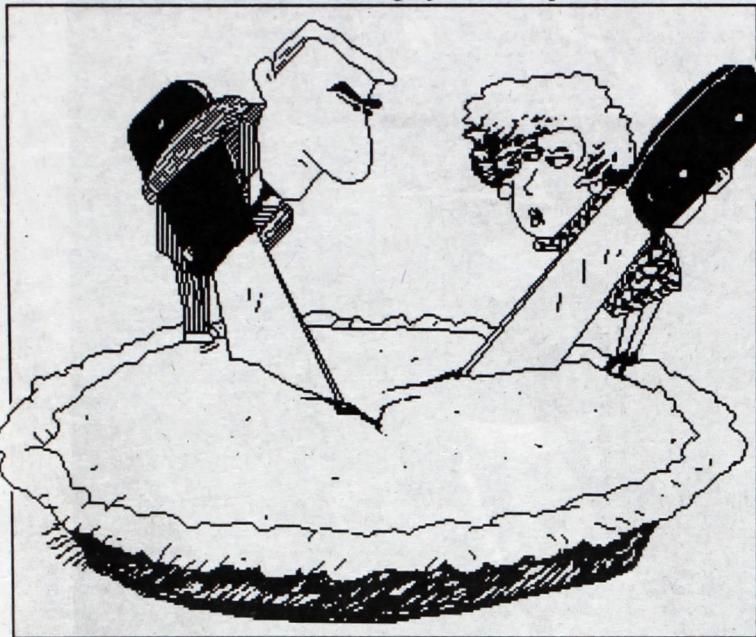
Or, les "avantages sociaux", tout comme le salaire, ne constituent pas des droits: ce sont des moyens pour les entreprises d'attirer et de garder les meilleurs employés. À ce titre, ces contrats devraient rester privés.

Cette dernière distinction est très importante, car si la pornographie enfantine devait être interdite et saisie par la police, c'est surtout parce qu'elle constitue une preuve (irréfutable) d'abus sexuel et de mauvais traitements des enfants. Nos lois, parfaitement justifiables, contre l'abus des enfants, n'avaient pas besoin d'être complétées par des lois contre la "pornographie", qui, jusqu'à maintenant, servent surtout à brimer la liberté d'expression et la liberté artistique.

Le gouvernement de l'Ontario déposera au printemps une loi qui obligera les entreprises privées(?) à payer des programmes d'assurance-santé, dentaires et autres aux conjoints d'employés hétérosexuels.



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Jusqu'où doit-on tolérer chez nous, au nom du respect des cultures et des religions minoritaires, des pratiques barbares, dangereuses et déshumanisantes?

En réponse à une récente requête du Comité consultatif canadien sur le statut de la femme, le ministre fédéral de la Justice, Allan Rock, a indiqué qu'il décidera d'ici un mois si notre Code criminel sera modifié de façon à interdire explicitement l'horrible pratique de l'excision, la mutilation des organes génitaux des femmes, répandue dans certains pays d'Afrique et d'Asie.

"Même si elle constitue un rite qui marque le passage de l'enfance à l'âge adulte dans certaines cultures, cette mutilation (du clitoris ou des lèvres du vagin) peut également être considérée comme une forme extrême d'agression physique envers les femmes et une forme de mauvais

La question qu'on se pose ici est surtout de savoir s'il faut préciser nos textes de loi afin d'y mentionner spécifiquement l'excision et la circoncision, ou s'il faut plutôt simplement sévir contre ces opérations en se servant des lois déjà en vigueur contre les pratiques dangereuses de la médecine, les mauvais traitements des enfants, les agressions et les mutilations.

Malheureusement, l'engouement de nos gouvernements (surtout au Canada anglais) pour le multiculturalisme, qui favorise l'assimilation des Canadiens aux cultures et aux religions étrangères plutôt que l'inverse, fait qu'il est sans doute nécessaire d'agir sur les deux fronts en même temps: préciser le texte de

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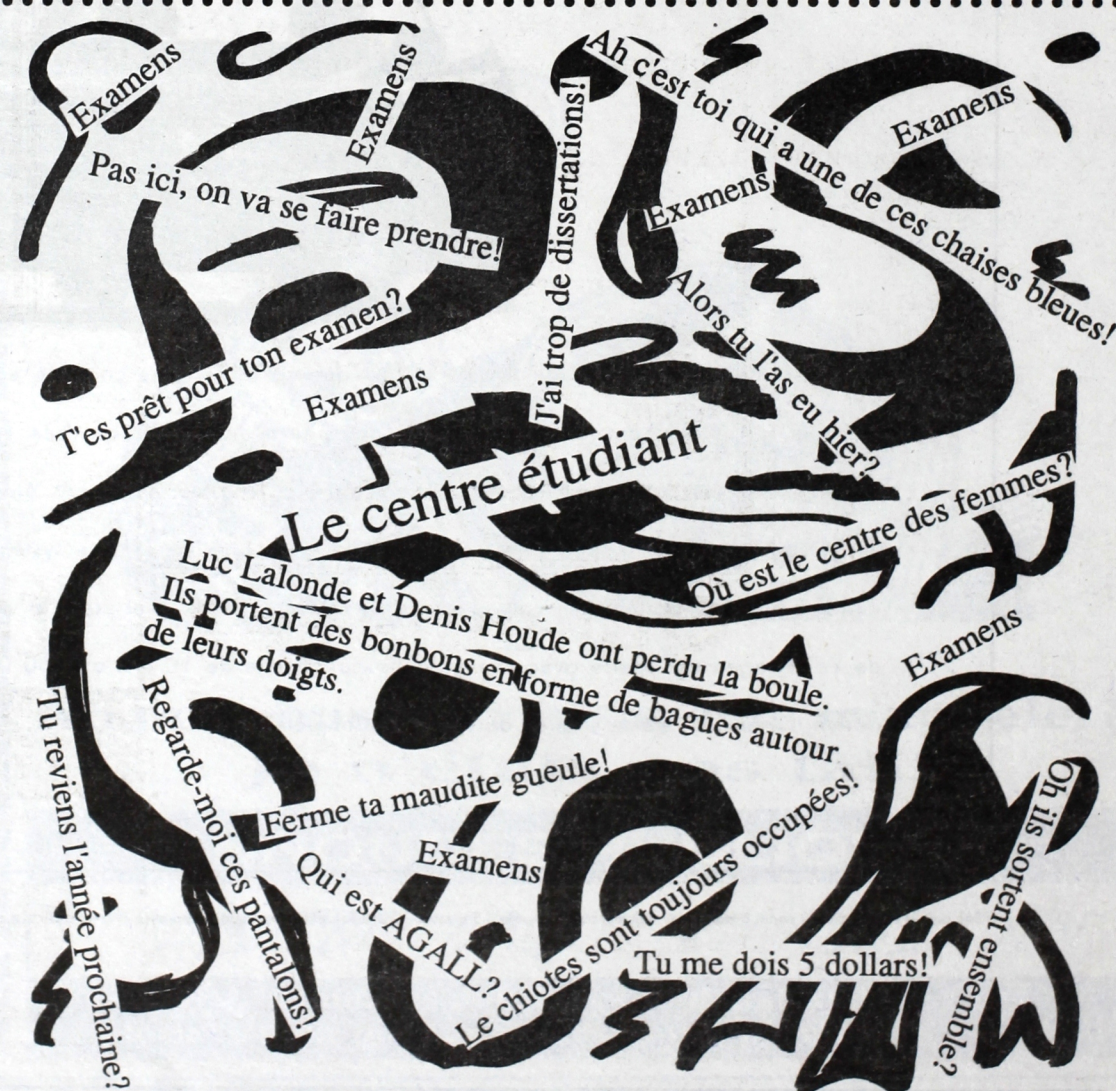
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# L'ONU peut-elle forcer le Québec à élargir l'accès à l'école anglaise?

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**MONTREAL(PC)- Une coalition pour les droits des anglophones québécois a annoncé son intention de loger une plainte auprès des Nations-Unies pour forcer le gouvernement à permettre l'accès à l'école anglaise aux enfants d'immigrants anglophones.**

Cette coalition, appuyée par Alliance Québec, le Parti Égalité et le député Robert Libman, et qui représente aussi 150 parents dont les enfants n'ont pu fréquenter l'école anglaise, veut déposer d'ici trois mois une plainte au sous-comité de l'ONU et à l'UNESCO, l'organisation qui se consacre plus spécifiquement à l'éducation.

L'avocat Brent Tyler a indiqué que la coalition "mettra d'abord les

pendules à l'heure en ce qui a trait à l'accès aux écoles anglaises", en présentant un dossier à l'UNESCO et au sous-comité de l'ONU sur les droits économiques, culturels et sociaux.

La coalition déposera ensuite une plainte formelle en vertu de la Convention internationale sur les droits économiques, culturels et sociaux, et du Traité de L'ONU sur les droits des enfants, signé en 1989.

Si le droit fondamental des enfants à une éducation publique et gratuite est reconnu, alors il ne peut y avoir de discrimination basée sur la langue, l'origine ethnique ou nationale, plaideront les anglophones de la coalition. En vertu de la loi 101, l'accès à l'école anglaise est réservé essentiellement aux seuls enfants dont les parents ont fréquenté l'école anglaise au Canada.

La coalition explique que sa démarche suit celles de l'entrepreneur en pompes funèbres de Huntington, Gordon McIntyre, qui avait contesté

avec un succès la loi sur l'affichage devant des instances de l'ONU, en 1989.

Le premier ministre de l'époque, Robert Bourassa, avait cité ce jugement de l'ONU lorsque le gouvernement libéral avait amendé la loi sur l'affichage, permettant les affiches en anglais à l'extérieur des commerces en autant que le français y prédomine.

Le ministre de l'Éducation, Jacques Chagnon, demeure très confiant de voir les arguments du gouvernement québécois triompher devant les Nations Unies.

"C'est une excursion qui risque de faire long feu. Je ne vois pas en quoi l'action du gouvernement du Québec en matière linguistique vient en conflit avec la législation internationale." Quant au chef du Parti Québécois, Jacques Parizeau, sa position est claire: il n'est pas question d'élargir l'accès à l'école anglaise.

## Moi

Dani Ducharme  
contributeur

C'est difficile  
Difficile à comprendre  
Comprendre je ne comprends plus  
Plus jamais j'essayerai  
Essayer c'est difficile...

Le masque agrandit  
Maudit qu'y est rendu grand  
Il va grandir et me fait frémir  
Tellement grand qu'y va creuver!

Le masque est cassé  
Fracassé  
Tué!

Je suis morbide  
Et choqué  
Creuvé  
Cassé  
Fracassé  
Tué!

L'univers a-t-il?  
La terre a-t-elle?  
Le pays a-t-il?  
La culture a-t-elle?  
Mais mon coeur lui l'a

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Au besoin de l'autre  
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Abusé est cet être  
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Écoeuvée de la vie  
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Par son patron au  
Chapeau melon  
Qui suis-je?

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### Le pervers

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**Le texte suivant sont des paragraphes de mon livre préféré... Les références sont à la fin du texte. Bonne lecture!!**

Au commencement Dieu créa le ciel et la terre.

La terre était informe et vide; les ténèbres couvraient l'abîme, et l'Esprit de Dieu se mouvait au-dessus des eaux.

Dieu dit: "Que la lumière soit!" et la lumière fut. Et Dieu vit que la lumière était bonne; et Dieu sépara la lumière et les ténèbres, dieu appela la lumière Jour, et les ténèbres Nuit.

Et il y eut un soir, et il y eut un matin; ce fut le premier jour.

Dieu dit: "Qu'il y ait un firmament entre les eaux, et qu'il sépare les eaux d'avec les eaux." Et Dieu fit le firmament, et il sépara les eaux qui sont au-dessous du firmament d'avec les eaux qui sont au-dessus du firmament. Et cela fut ainsi. Dieu appela le firmament Ciel.

Et il y eut un soir et il y eut un matin; ce fut le second jour.

Dieu dit: "Que les eaux qui sont au-dessous du ciel se rassemblent en un seul lieu, et que le sec paraisse." Et cela fut ainsi. Dieu appela le sec Terre, et il appela Mer l'amas des eaux. Et Dieu vit que cela était bon.

Puis Dieu dit: "que la terre fasse pousser du gazon, des herbes portant semence, sur la terre." Et cela fut ainsi.(1)

Joseph fut emmené en Égypte, et Putiphar, officier de Pharaon, chef des gardes, Égyptien, l'acheta des Ismaélites qui l'y avaient amené. Yahweh fut avec Joseph, qui faisait prospérer toutes choses; il habitait dans la maison de son maître, l'Égyptien. son maître vit que Yahweh était avec lui et que Yahweh faisait réussir entre ses mains tout ce qu'il faisait. Joseph trouva donc grâce à ses yeux et il fut employé à son service; son maître l'établit sur sa maison et remit en ses mains tout ce qu'il avait. Dès qu'il l'eut établi sur sa maison et sur tout ce qu'il avait, Yahweh bénit la maison de l'Égyptien à cause de Joseph, et la bénédiction de Yahweh fut sur tout ce qu'il avait, soit à la maison, soit aux champs. Et il abandonna tout ce qu'il avait aux mains de Joseph, ne s'informant plus de rien avec lui, si ce n'est des aliments qu'il prenait. Or Joseph était beau de corps et beau de figure.

Il arriva, après ces choses, que la femme de son maître jeta les yeux sur Joseph et lui dit: "Couche avec

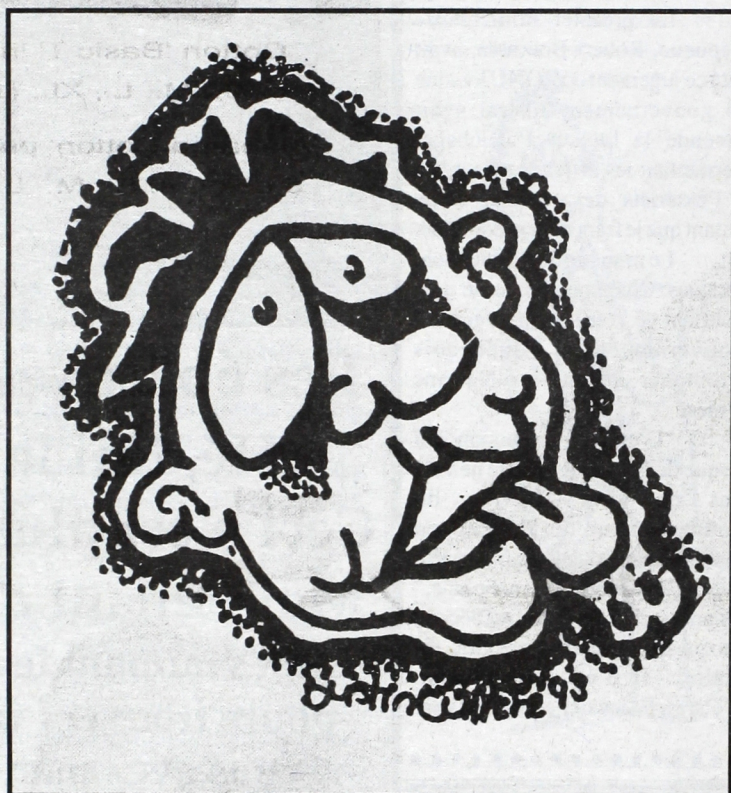
moi." Il refusa et dit à la femme de son maître: "voici, mon maître ne s'informe avec moi de rien dans la maison et il a remis tout ce qu'il a entre mes mains. Il n'est pas plus grand que moi dans cette maison, et il ne m'a rien interdit que toi, parce que tu es sa femme. Comment ferais-je un si grand mal et pécherais-je contre Dieu?" Quoiqu'elle en parlât tous les jours à Joseph, il ne consentit pas à coucher auprès d'elle ni à être avec elle. Un jour qu'il était entré dans la maison pour faire son service, sans qu'il y eût là aucun des gens de la maison, elle le saisit par son vêtement, en disant: "Couche avec moi." Mais il lui laissa son vêtement dans la main, et il s'enfuit au dehors. Quand elle vit qu'il lui avait laissé son vêtement dans la main et qu'il s'était enfui dehors, elle appela les gens de sa maison et leur parla en disant: "Voyez, il nous a amené un Hébreu pour folâtrer avec nous. Cet homme

remonter de ce pays dans le pays qu'il a juré de donner à Abraham, à Isaac et à Jacob." Joseph fit jurer les fils d'Israël, en disant: "Certainement Dieu vous visitera, et vous ferez remonter mes os d'ici."

Joseph mourut, âgé de cent dix ans. On l'embauma et on le mit dans un cercueil en Égypte.(3)

Moïse faisait pâtre le troupeau de Jéthro, son beau-père, prêtre de Madian. Il mena le troupeau au delà du désert, et arriva à la montagne de Dieu, à Horeb. L'ange de Yahweh lui apparut en flamme de feu, du milieu du buisson était tout en feu, et le buisson ne se consumait pas.

Moïse dit: "Je veux faire un détour pour considérer cette grande vision, et voir pourquoi le buisson ne se consume point." Yahweh vit qu'il se détournait pour regarder; et Dieu



est venu vers moi pour coucher avec moi, et j'ai appelé à grands cris. Et quand il a entendu que j'élevais la voix et que je criais, il a laissé son vêtement à côté de moi et s'est enfui au dehors." Puis elle posa près d'elle le vêtement de Joseph jusqu'à ce que son maître rentrât à la maison. Et elle lui parla selon ces paroles-là, en disant: "Le serviteur hébreu que tu nous as amené est venu vers moi pour folâtrer avec moi. Et comme j'ai élevé la voix et jeté des cris, il a laissé son vêtement à côté de moi et s'est enfui dehors." Quand le maître de Joseph eut entendu les paroles de sa femme, qui lui parlait en ces termes "Voilà ce que m'a fait ton serviteur", sa colère s'enflamma. Il prit Joseph et le mit dans la prison; c'était le lieu où étaient détenus les prisonniers du roi. Et il fut là en prison.

Yahweh fut avec Joseph; il entendit sur lui sa bonté, et le mit en faveur des yeux du chef de la prison. Et le chef de la prison plaça sous sa surveillance tous les prisonniers qui étaient dans la prison, et tout ce qui s'y faisait se faisait par lui. Le chef de la prison ne regardait à rien de tout ce que Joseph avait en mains, parce que Yahweh était avec lui; et Yahweh faisait réussir tout ce qu'il faisait.(2)

Joseph dit à ses frères: "Pour moi, je vais mourir; mais Dieu vous visitera certainement et vous fera

l'appela du milieu du buisson, et dit: "Moïse! Moïse!" Il répondit: "Me voici." Dieu dit: "N'approche pas d'ici, ôte tes sandales de tes pieds, car le lieu sur lequel tu te tiens est une terre sainte." Il ajouta: "Je suis le Dieu de ton père, le dieu d'Abraham, le Dieu d'Isaac et le Dieu de Jacob." Moïse se cacha le visage, car il craignait de regarder Dieu.(4)

Yahweh dit à Moïse: "Dis à Aaron: Entends ta main avec ton bâton sur les rivières, sur les canaux et sur les étangs, et fais monter les grenouilles sur le pays d'Égypte." Aaron étendit sa main sur les eaux de l'Égypte, et les grenouilles montèrent et couvrirent le pays d'Égypte. Mais les magiciens firent la même chose par leurs enchantements; ils firent monter les grenouilles sur le pays d'Égypte.(5)

*Séduction d'une vierge*  
(XXII, 15, 16)

Si un homme séduit une vierge qui n'est pas fiancée, et couche avec elle, il paiera sa dot et la prendra pour femme. Si le père refuse de la lui accorder, le séducteur paiera l'argent qu'on donne pour la dot des vierges.(6)

Yahweh dit à Moïse: "Va, descends; car ton peuple que tu as fait monter du pays d'Égypte, s'est con-

duit très mal. Il se sont bien vite détournés de la voie que je leur avais prescrite; ils se sont fait un veau en fonte, ils se sont prosternés devant lui, et ils lui ont offert des sacrifices, et ils ont dit Israël, voici ton Dieu, qui t'a fait monter du pays d'Égypte." Yahweh dit à Moïse: "Je Vois que ce peuple est un peuple au cou raide. Maintenant laisse-moi: que ma colère s'embrace contre eux et que je les consume! Mais je ferai de toi une grande nation."(7)

Lorsqu'un homme aura eu sur le corps, sur la peau, une brûlure faite par le feu, s'il se forme sur la trace de la brûlure une tache blanche ou d'un blanc rougeâtre, le prêtre l'examinera. Si le poil est devenu blanc dans la tache et qu'elle paraisse plus profonde que la peau, c'est la lèpre, elle a fait éruption dans la brûlure; le prêtre déclarera cet homme impur; c'est une plaie de lèpre. Mais si le prêtre voit qu'il n'y a pas de poil blanc dans la tache, qu'elle n'est plus enfoncée que la peau et qu'elle est devenue pâle, il séquestrera cet homme pendant sept jours. Si la tache s'est étendue sur la peau, le prêtre le déclarera impur: c'est une plaie de lèpre. Mais si la tache est restée à la même place, sans s'étendre sur la peau, et qu'elle soit devenue pâle, c'est la tumeur de la brûlure; le prêtre le déclarera pur, car c'est la cicatrice de la brûlure.(8)

L'homme qui aura un épanchement séminal baignera tout son corps dans l'eau, et sera impur jusqu'au soir. Tout vêtement et toute peau qui seront atteints par l'épanchement séminal seront lavés dans l'eau et seront impurs jusqu'au soir.

Si une femme a couché avec un homme et a eu commerce avec lui,

elle se baignera dans l'eau ainsi que lui, et il seront impurs jusqu'au soir.

Quand une femme aura un flux, un flux de sang dans sa chair, elle sera sept jours dans son impureté. Quiconque la touchera sera impur jusqu'au soir.(9)

(1) LA SAINTE BIBLE (traduction d'après les textes originaux par Le Cahnoine A. Crampon). Société de saint Jean l'évangéliste, Desclée et Cie, Éditeurs Pontificaux, Paris, tournai, Rome, 1938. p.1

- (2) Ibid., p.41-42
- (3) Ibid., p.56
- (4) Ibid., p.59
- (5) Ibid., p.64
- (6) Ibid., p.82
- (7) Ibid., p.94
- (8) Ibid., p.117
- (9) Ibid., p.121

Si vous avez lu tout ceci vous êtes des bons petits. Moi de mon tour je vais vous faire la promesse que je serai de retour l'année prochaine.

La seule chose qui était un grand poisson d'avril était le fait que vous aviez vraiment cru pour un instant que j'allais révéler mon nom. Ha Ha Ha Après cette petite déclaration et ma jouissance de vous avoir joué un tour: Je souhaite à tout le monde, étudiants, professeurs, administrateur, nettoyeurs, journalistes, et tous les autres qui lisent mes petits histoires, que cela soit en classe, sur le bus, sur le trône ou en réunion:

**JOYEUSE PÂQUES**  
et à  
**L'année prochaine.**

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## Vees Track at the OU's

by Mark Dewan

The Laurentian university track and field team had an excellent weekend at the OUAA/OWIAA championships held in Windsor. The team was led by the bronze medal performance of Christina Melaney in the woman's shot put. She finished the competition with a best throw of 11.89 metres. Jama Ross had a impressive performance in the woman's triple jump. Her best jump of 11.77 metres established a personal best and Laurentian record by an incredible 55 cm and earned her a fourth place finish. Jama has improved her personal best by almost a metre since the beginning of the season. Norma Jane Millihan ran the 60 metre hurdles in 9:94 to take 8th place. The relay team of Jackie Dore, Danielle Dennie, Suzanne Peters and Norma Milligan finished 8th in the 4x200 m. The same team competed in the 4x400 metre relay establishing a new Laurentian record of 4:14.5, smashing the old record of 4:25.5. The men's team also had some excellent performances. The men's 4x200 m relay team established a new Laurentian record of 1:33.24 finishing in 5th. The 4x400 metre team (Richard Dagenais, Paul Van Sickle, Jason Leach, Daniel Leduc) also established a new L.U. record, running 3:28.10 and finishing 5th. Leduc posted a swift 49.9 second leg to anchor the team. The 4x800 team (Mark Dewan, Dagenais, Van Sickle, Leach) narrowly missed setting a new Laurentian record recording a time of 7:55.31, just 1/10 of a second off the old record. They also finished in 5th. Derek Reed finished up in 6th place in the men's 3000 metres after leading the field for almost half the race. Ian Janseen finished 7th in the men's triple jump. Daniel Leduc finished 8th in the 600 metres. Richard Dagenais was 9th in the 60 metre hurdles. Christina Melaney, Jama Ross and Ian Janseen represented Laurentian at the CI AU championships March 10th in Calgary.

Thanks go out to the great coaching staff of Rick Carleton, Wendy Jerome, Tom Black and Andre Plamonden and our faithful trainer John Peplnak for all the help this season.

## Almuni Announces Addition of Football To Varsity Roster

By Dan Cott  
Staff Writer

Voyeurs Football Coordinator Sal Almuni was pleased to announce Friday, March 25 that one more sport, football, would be added to the Voyeurs list of varsity teams. A visibly excited audience was at hand in the Lurenchienne Pub to hear that 1994-1995 would be the team's inaugural season and that great things were expected immediately of the team. Almuni said "Seeing as we're the only team in our newly-created division, it should be no problem grabbing a berth in the Ontario finals. . ." but later retracted the statement, saying "It's dangerous to set your hopes too high. We're just going to take it one game at a time, as soon as we can find some opposition."

Funding for the \$40,000 annual expenditure is expected to come from a 100% increase in Athletics Fees, bringing the stipend up to \$160 per annum. "Good things are worth paying for, and I think the

students are wise enough to realize that" argued Almuni. "We set a precedent last year: full funding for the men's and women's Voyeurs basketball teams and dropping funds for the hockey team. What university in its right mind would fund a hockey team in the Canadian north?"

Open try-outs for the team will be held in July, with the only qualification being that hopeful players will have to be able to read the instructions of the Reading Incompetency Test. Prompters will be available for those forced to memorize the instructions.



## Success!

We would like to thank all who participated in Intramural Badminton. We would also like to thank our sponsors, PLAZA BOWL, EAST-SIDE MARIOS, ROCKS ATHLETICS and FAMOUS PLAYER MOVIE THEATRES, for the great prizes donated. Congratulations go to Craig Daynard and Josee Trudeau for winning the tournament edging out Liette Gravel and Chris Kilbride. We would also like to congratulate the winners of "Green Day" - Jennifer Beers and Chris Bradford. We hope to see as many teams next year as there was this year, so keep practicing!

**Congratulations to Nancy Sweetnam, on qualifying for the Commonwealth Games this summer!**  
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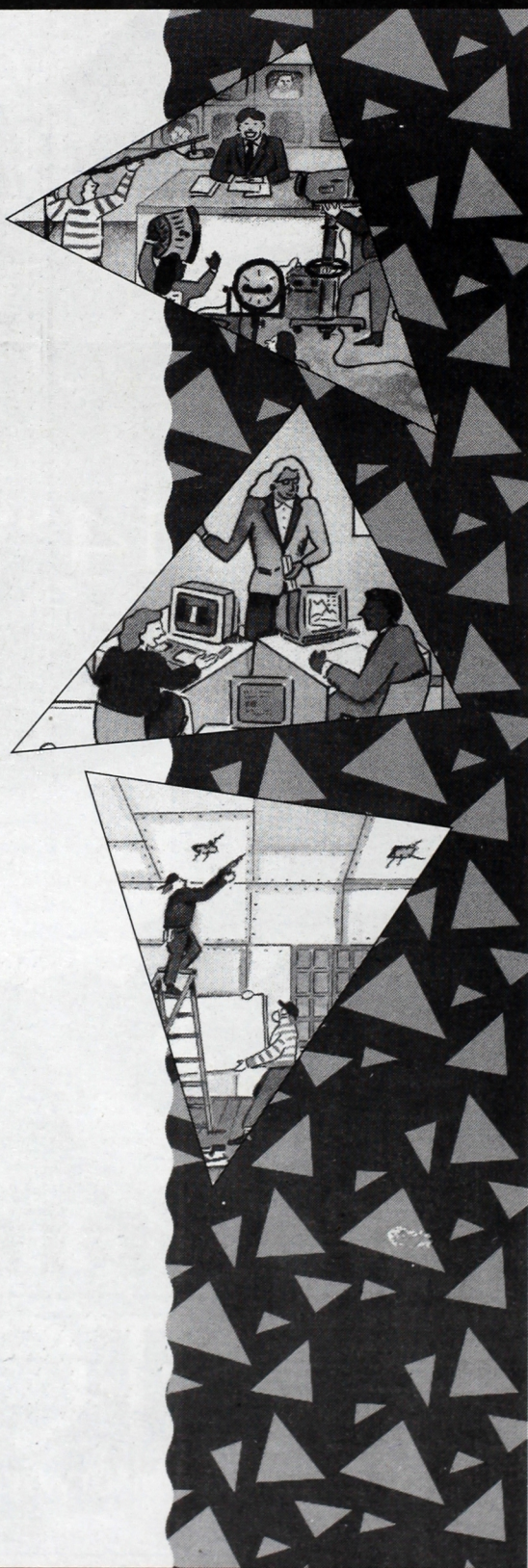
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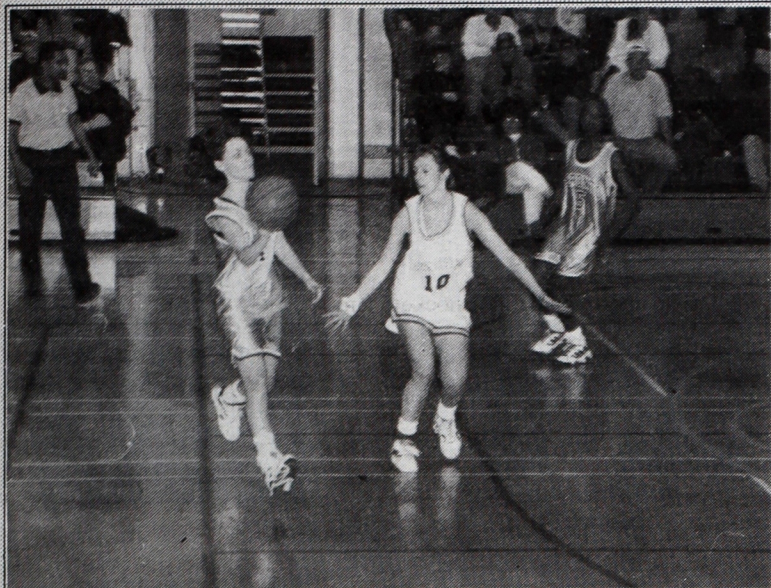
Laurentian University is pleased to announce its newest smoking policy. Smoking **WILL NOT** be allowed anywhere on campus as of April 1, 1994. Smokers will now have to drive or walk off campus in order to enjoy their habit. The local Smokers' lobby group is planning to erect a shelter on Ramsey Lake road across from Robertson's Cottage for those cold and wintry days when you really need a smoke regardless of the weather. These shelters will not be heated because funding for the heaters will not be available for another two years.

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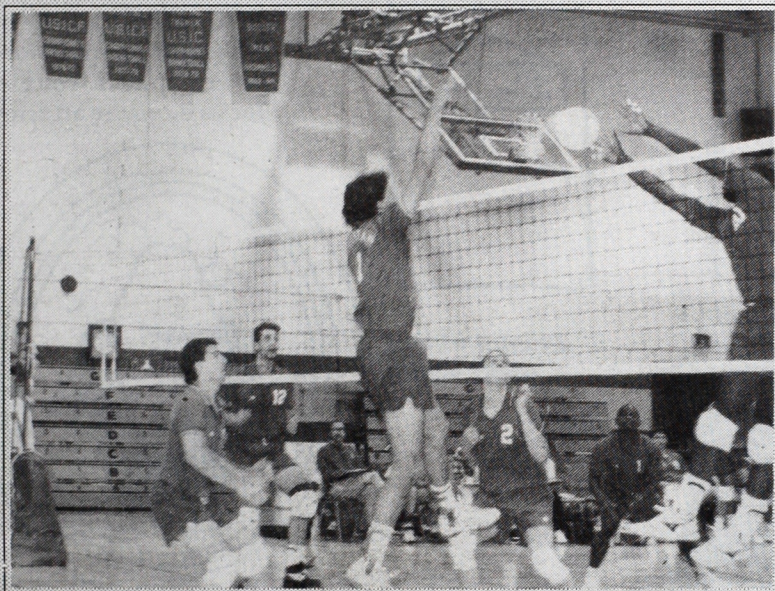


## Athletic Achievements 1993-1994



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## The Lady Vees basketball squad took silver

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## Vees made it to the OUAA East Semi-Finals



The Vees lost a nail-biter against Mac in the CIAU Championships

## Vees Appreciation Day a Smash

By Chris Logan

The Vees Appreciation Day was held Saturday, March 26 outside the Pub Downunder with help from the gang at U.C. It was well attended by hundreds of people. In total they went through 800 hamburgers and hotdogs.

A special thanks goes out to the supporters of the Vees—hope to see you out again. Also, thanks to Loeb's for the grub and to Coke for the pop.

## The Champ Visits the Lady Vees

By Chris Logan

Hey everybody, it's me The Champ. Lately me and Mrs. Champ have been LOOOSING IT. We're SNAPPING. We are as upset as everyone else that the Lady Vees didn't take it all this year, but we are still really proud of 'em. Mrs. Champ and I have been watchin' them all year. See, they're winners, they're all little Champs, and the Champ likes to see that.

You all know the Champ likes to keep in shape cause ya never know, there may be one last bout left in me. Well, the other day me and Mrs. Champ went over to the Gym to help with the last practice. See, my pal Brian Lamont is over there, and he lets me and the Mrs. train with the girls.

The Coach runs a good workout with the help of Shirleen Mclean. I haven't had such a good workout since the Thrilla in Orillia. Anyways, we got into a little game of B-ball, and I had Joy McNichol, Mel Rathbone, Stacy Hann, Karen Arnott, and Katie Malone on my team. Mrs. Champ's team was Linda Carriere, Leslie Meyers, Carolyn Swords, Sarah Kieffer, and Dianne Norman. We started off with a little bit of an embarrassing incident. Mel Rathbone says to me "Hey Champ, it's time to tip off!" Well I says "Pardon?" and right to the Champ's face she says "It's time to tip off!" WELL, I LOSE it, I SNAP—I think this chick's tellin' me to take a hike. . . I fake her out with a Gatorade bottle and Mrs. Champ jumps up and grabs my arm. . . She says "Will you calm down! She's asking you to start the game." I'm speechless. So I apologized and we got on with the scrimmage.

These babes are good, they really know how to play the game. Glenn Parsons called them all together at the end of the practice and thanked them for coming out to play for L.U. and that he hoped they would all be back next year. He then sent them to the showers.

So I was talking to Peter Ennis in the gym while he was collecting the gear. I was asking if there was any way Mrs. Champ might appear on the team next year. He turns around with a big smile (which I thought was too big) and says "Hey Champ, do you want to grab my balls?" I says "PARDON?" He says "Ya, why don't you grab my balls. . . and we'll talk about it." Well, I LOSE it! I SNAP! I fake him out with his clipboard, a screamer to the chin, a size 14 Reebok Pump to the ass and a flurry to the solar plexus. He goes down, and I says "How's that pal, is that 'do you want to grab my balls' enough for ya?"

Ever since I been the Champ!

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Preparation time: 25 minutes  
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Preheat oven at 350°F (180°C)

Combine in a large bowl:  
1 can, 10 oz (284 mL) cream of mushroom soup  
1/2 cup (125 mL) white wine or milk  
1 tsp. (5 mL) parsley flakes  
1/4 tsp. (1 mL) paprika  
1/4 tsp. (1 mL) salt  
1/4 tsp. (1 mL) pepper

Place:

two chicken breasts (cut in half),  
8 wings or 4 legs  
in a casserole dish.  
Pour sauce over chicken. Cover.  
Place in oven.

Don't Start Without:

casserole dish with lid  
large bowl  
large spoon  
measuring spoons  
measuring cups  
can opener  
collander or strainer

Helpful Hints:

• If using wine, go for something cheap. You won't taste the difference once it's cooked.

When chicken has cooked 30 minutes, fill a large pot half full with water and bring to a boil.

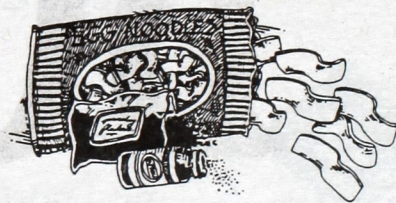
Add:

a few drops of oil  
1 tsp. (5 mL) salt  
1/2 lb. (0.25 kg) broad egg noodles

Cook over high heat for 8 to 10 minutes.

Drain and rinse.

When chicken has cooked 45 minutes, add noodles to casserole dish. Cover and cook another 15 minutes.



• If you don't have a knife sharp enough to cut chicken breasts in half, ask the butcher to do it for you.

Serving Ideas:

• For a variation on this dish, use left-over chicken. Cut the meat from the bones and combine with the sauce. Cook for 30 minutes.  
• This is a filling dish. A light salad goes well on the side.

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# Ralph's

## SPORTS BAR & BILLIARDS

EVERYDAY	Mondays	Tuesdays	Wednesdays
Ralph's Lasalle How low can we go!! Everyday is 2sday!	-Pool League -2 on 2 Basketball  Both start at 8:30 p.m.	L.U. Nite Buses leave U.C. Hill at 10:00 \$2.00 Nachos Free Pool Other specials	Ralph's Lasalle How low can we go!! Everyday is Tuesday!

Thursdays	Fridays	Saturdays
Thirsty Thursdays Don't get depressed.	WIN \$500.00 Before 10:00 p.m.	Pool League at 2:00 p.m. Beat the line ups

Come and join us at  
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# Congratulations to Next Year's Staff

Janice Savage -  
Editor-in-Chief



"Just do it. I don't want to know"



Pierre Perreault -  
Office Manager

"Are we going down for lunch/  
Dinner/something to eat soon?"



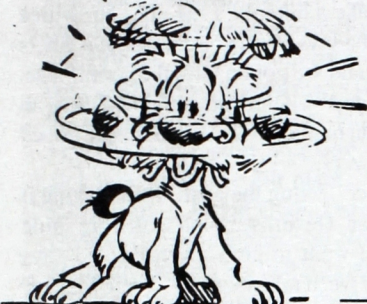
Paul Loewenberg -  
Entertainment Editor

"I'll Bring it back in five  
minutes"



Dominio Vidmar -  
Production Director

"Carine and I are the only ones  
who know the passwords on the  
new computers. You have to vote  
for us or you're all screwed."



Kevin Perrault -  
News Editor

"What? What? What?"



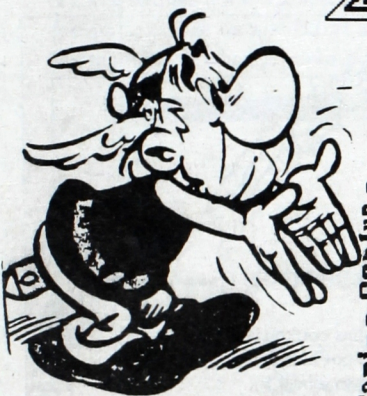
Marcel Rouleau -  
Financial Director

"I'm going as fast as I can."

"You want what? When?"



Bean Clark -  
Photo Editor



Carine Bonilup -  
Production Director

"I'm just doing what the Editor  
asked me to do. Sort of."



I'm an expert in conflict  
resolution. Honest!



Steve Martinovich -  
Assistant Editor



Dan Scott -  
Sports Editor

You're going to have to make  
something up. I'm not talking.

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